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BASEBALL

HUNT FOR WIFE WHO VANISHED



Irene C. Smith.

Broken-hearted, not able to sleep, neglecting their work, not pausing even to change their clothing, Paul J. Smith, a young insurance agent of Watertown, and Patrick Hennbury, of the same town, are to-day searching everywhere for pretty Mrs. Irene C. Smith, who disappeared from her home last Monday afternoon.

Smith, the husband, and Hennbury, the father of the twenty-one-year-old wife, have asked the Boston police to help them. They have absolutely no clew.

At the home, No. 17 Cottage lane, Watertown, where Smith and his wife lived with Mr. and Mrs. Hennbury, the girl's mother sits to-day grief-stricken because of the unaccountable absence of her daughter.

"Paul and Irene were married about three years ago," said the mother to-day. "They never had any trouble, and Paul was just as good a man as any girl could want for a husband. He was devotion itself to her.

"Where she has gone or why, we have absolutely no idea. She went away from here on Monday. She had $40 in her pocket and she was going to Boston, as we thought, to do some shopping. She didn't return. She sent us no message, and whether she has met with violence, been kidnapped or gone away of her own will we don't know.

"My husband has not slept since Monday. I am awfully anxious for him, for he is ill with grief and worry. Paul he is still not stop hunting for my daughter until he finds her."

Since his wife disappeared Mr. Smith has searched Newport, R. I., and Portsmouth, N. H. To-day he is hunting everywhere in Boston. If he fails he is going to New York.

The young wife wore a light green suit when she left, a three-quarter length coat, a black lace picture hat and white shirt waist. She is a pronounced brunette, five feet five inches in height, weighs 125 pounds and has a mole on the left side of her mouth.

Smith and the girl met when he was on the battleship Illinois. When he left the service they went to Newark, O., but soon came back here.

ANOTHER STORM IS DUE TO-NIGHT

The Weather Bureau to-day issued warning of a storm over the South Atlantic States, moving slowly northeast. Strong easterly winds will prevail on the southeast New England coast to-day and Saturday. It is expected that the storm will strike Boston and the New England States to-night, and will last through Saturday, clear up Saturday night or early Sunday morning. The storm this morning at 8 o'clock was moving slowly over Charleston, S. C., and up the coast, and is a moderately heavy storm.

WOMAN POUTS; NO ROOM IN BALLOON

NORTH ADAMS, May 21.—Mrs. W. H. Richardson of Brattleboro, Vt., pouted to-day because there was not room enough in the balloon for her to make an ascension with her husband, Aberton D. Converse of Winchendon and N. H. Arnold, the pilot. Mr. Converse is a member of the legislature, and this is his third flight. The balloon was the North Adams No. 1, at started rapidly westward.

COMIC OPERA MARRIAGE CUSTOMS IN CHINA—By Robert Hart; written for the SUNDAY AMERICAN.

FIGHTS KIDNAPPER SAVES HER BABY

Woman Who Was Seized With Her Child, and Carried Away in Auto, Escapes After Long Struggle

The identity of the woman, who fought desperately in the streets of Roxbury last night to prevent a man from carrying off her four-year-old child, but who was carried away with the child in the big machine, was learned to-day.

The woman is Mrs. Mary A. Milligan of No. 38 Sterling street and the child is her daughter Irene. The man who grabbed the little girl in the street and struggled for her possession, is the father, A. J. Milligan of Dorchester.

So fiercely did the mother cling to the child that she was dragged into the street and carried to Wellesley. There her demands induced the husband to return, and at 1 o'clock this morning she and the child were allowed to go to the home of a friend leaving the car at Roxbury Crossing.

The sensational attempt at kidnapping was witnessed by hundreds of Roxbury people last night, and many of them tried to prevent it, but the automobile was too swift for them.

This is Mrs. Milligan's story of the desperate fight for her child:

"I was returning from a walk with little Irene to the home of Mrs. P. J. Wheeler of No. 38 Sterling street. I was shortly before 8 o'clock. I heard

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MILLIONAIRES IN TEARS AT ROGERS BIER

NEW YORK, May 21.—More than fifty detectives and "plain clothes" policemen, besides dozens of uniformed officers, guarded the Church of the Messiah at Park avenue and Thirty-fourth street to-day, while funeral services for H. H. Rogers were being held there. Twenty-five detectives followed the body from the Rogers home at No. 3 East Seventy-eighth street to the church. Some of them were packed into carriages that went ahead of the hearse. Others rode in street cars or walked beside the cortege.

Police officers who had charge of the detachments that were called out could not explain why these precautions to guard the body were taken. Deputy Commissioner Woods, Inspector McCaffery and Captain O'Brien were in command of the detectives and policemen at the church.

65,000 Suspend Work.

Sixty-five thousand jobbers of the Standard Oil Company ceased work while the funeral service was going on. During the two hours of the rites the entire business of the stupendous Standard Oil Company was stopped.

Cables had carried the notice of suspension to the furthest corners of the earth where Standard Oil fleets lay in distant harbors, where caravans struggled under the burden of the Standard's output, and where refineries and oil wells cast up their burdens of the Standard's natural wealth.

The famous money kings and monarchs of business solemnly paid their respects to the remains of the man who was so lately one of them.

John D. Rockefeller did not attend the funeral because of the illness of his wife. It was through his orders, however, that every employe of the Standard Oil Company paid the silent tribute to Mr. Rogers while the services were being held.

The body of Mr. Rogers was taken from

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MOTHER KILLS BABES AND ENDS OWN LIFE

EAST HAMPTON, Conn., May 21.—Mrs. Louis Carsten cut the throats of her three children and then her own to-day at the Carsten home, a farm about two miles from the centre of the village.

Two of the children, Louis, aged ten years, and a ten-month-old girl, are dead, and Mrs. Carsten and a seven-year-old boy, John, are dying.

No reason is known for the woman's act. It is thought she may have been insane.

RICE FUNERAL MONDAY.

Funeral services for the late William B. Rice, president of Rice & Hutchins, incorporated, who died early to-day, will be held at his home, No. 215 Adams street, Milton, Monday, at 2.30 p. m.



Snapshot by Boston American photographer of Mrs. Mary A. Milligan and Irene, her daughter.

FRESH CLEW MAY LEAD TO STRANGLER

PROVIDENCE, May 21.—A startling new turn was taken to-day in the attempt of the police to run down the murderer of Laura E. Regester. A man, supposed to have been eliminated from the mysterious case, is under espionage and redoubled efforts are being made to learn if he knows more about the case than he has disclosed.

The police have in their possession some of the man's clothing and his shoes. They declare that his latest statements about the crime conflict with his first utterances. The road by the Jewish cemetery, where Miss Regester was strangled to death, is covered with cinders. A minute examination of the shoes are being made to see if there is anything clinging to them that would indicate they were worn near the cemetery.

One of the mystifying things to the police is that they have not been able to get a line on the whereabouts of the articles stolen from Miss regester after she had been killed. These consisted of a bracelet, a cameo ring and a pocketbook, all gifts of her fiance, Charles Douglass.

Mystery in Wedding.

When Douglass was asked by the police when he and Miss Regester were to be married he said it was to be some time in September. They called his attention to the fact that she was getting a Spring wedding dress and was hurrying the dressmaker. He said that he could not understand that.

This has led to the theory that Miss Regester was going to marry someone other than Douglass. But, so far, the police have not found any real facts to substantiate the idea.

While the police declare that there is no arrest in sight, it is believed that such a move may be made at any time.

Douglass is indignant because the detectives have so persistently interviewed him. It became known to-day that they had visited his home with a notary public and had taken the sworn statements of his father, sister and himself as to his movements on the night of the crime and since. In a statement made by Douglass to-day he declared that he had gone over everything he could remember in three years and that he could not recall a single thing that he thought would have any bearing on the tragedy.

Statement by Douglass.

The police said that he remembered the names of some friends of Miss Regester that he did not recall at first and gave them the names. They will be looked into, Douglass said to-day.

"I have thought so much upon this terrible affair that it seems the only thing upon which my brain works. Asleep or awake, the shadow falls upon me. If the slightest item of information came to mind, I would only be too glad to give it to the authorities.

"My feelings are being trampled upon. Every day, and it seems every hour, I am met by detectives, consulted by reporters and, in view of my sorrow at heart over the death of my sweetheart and the present unsolved mystery, no time or privacy is left me.

"I feel confident the slayer of Laura will be brought to justice.

"I have gone over every circumstance I can remember in the three years of my courtship, and I cannot call to mind a single one that would have any bearing upon the tragedy."

GET SUSPECTS IN HOLD-UP OF TRAIN

SPOKANE, Wash., May 21.—J. M. Slaten and J. S. McInnes have been arrested on suspicion of being two of the robbers who held up the Great Northern mail train near Colbert last Saturday. McInnes is a telegraph operator and comes from one of the leading families of Winnipeg, Manitoba.

FATHER JOHN'S MEDICINE Makes flesh and strength. Builds up.—Adv.

STEINHEIL SLAYER CAUGHT

PARIS, May 21.—The great Steinheil murder mystery is solved, according to a declaration made by the Paris police today. This tragic case, which has involved the attention of the whole world for a year, came to a climax to-day with the arrest of M. Tardivel. The investigation brought to an end a series of melodramatic episodes in which the death of President Faure played a part. M. Steinheil, an artist, and Madame Japy, his wife's stepmother, were found murdered in April of 1908. At the time a servant was suspected, but after the police had conducted a rigid investigation Paris was electrified when Madame Steinheil, the wife, was taken into custody.

With the gendarmes grouped about and before a French magistrate, the scene in the murder chamber when M. Steinheil and his mother-in-law met their death was enacted. All Paris was scoured to find a man who resembled the murdered man. Then came another search for a woman who resembled the dead Madame Japy. In all its grewsome detail, with red paint faded and with blood curdling shrieks from the victims, the death was acted with all the tragedy at the command of the principals. Mme. Steinheil fainted, but would not admit guilt.

This week Ammannel Allaire, a prisoner at Versailles, admitted to the police that he knew the secrets of the Steinheil case. He said that a friend named Auge Tardivel had confessed to him that he and two friends, with a woman named Lea, had committed the crime with which Mme Steinheil was accused.

GRANDFATHER WON'T GIVE UP SON TO SHAW

H. Fisher Eldredge, the Portsmouth millionaire and father of Mrs. Nettie E. Shaw, refused to-day to give up his eleven-year-old grandson, Eldredge Shaw, to the boy's father, Senator James F. Shaw, in accordance with the ruling of the California courts and his agreement with the little fellow's father.

To-day was the limit of the time in which the grandfather, who crossed the continent and brought back from Los Angeles his daughter and her son, could retain Eldredge. He has the boy at one of his three Summer homes in Chatham, carefully guarded.

Word was received by Senator Shaw shortly before noon that he was not to receive his son. The father called at the State House. It also became known to-day that the Senator had filed a petition for a divorce against his wife with the clerk of the court at Salem. He names H. Keno Marble, his former chauffeur, in his papers.

Eldredge Is Defiant.

Senator Shaw made this statement to a reporter for the AMERICAN:

"I have just learned that Eldredge has broken faith with me and will not obey the order of the California courts. He has determined not to give up my boy.

"But let me tell you this—I'm going to have my boy. I'm not telling you how I'm going to get him, but I'll get him."

At Chatham Millionaire Eldredge is just as emphatic in his declarations that Senator Shaw will not get the boy. A bitter fight in which unlimited money will play a conspicuous part, will again be made over the possession of the child.

When Senator Shaw was asked earlier in the week about the case he said that he had every reason to believe that Mr. Eldredge would keep his agreement made with him before the older man went to California, that he would bring back the boy and give him to the Senator.

Senator Shaw intimated to-day that he would exhaust the law in an effort to get his son. He has attorneys working on the matter now, and they have several detectives on the case. It is not unlikely that, should the slow processes of the law fail to get him his son, criminal action will follow in another kidnapping.

PEACEMAKERS ASK NATIONS TO DISARM

LAKE MOHONK, N. Y., May 21.—The speakers at the Mohonk Conference to-day were President Judson of the University of Chicago, President Faunce of Brown University, President Brooks of Taylor University and President Hobbs of Guilford College. A platform was adopted calling for limitation and gradual reduction of armament of the nations.

RED SOX SEEK REVENGE ON CHICAGO MEN

BATTING ORDER.

BOSTON.	CHICAGO.
McConnell, 2b.	Hahn, r.f.
Gessler, r.f.	Dougherty, l.f.
Speaker, c.f.	Isbell, 1b.
Hooper, l.f.	White, c.f.
Stahl, 1b.	Parent, s.s.
Niles, 3b.	Purtell, 2b.
Wagner, s.s.	Tannehill, s.s.
Carrigan, c.	Owens, c.
Arellanes, p.	Scott, p.

AMERICAN LEAGUE GROUNDS, Chicago, May 21.—Red and White Sox were all set for the third battle of their series this afternoon and both were in the humor to fight desperately for the game. Manager Lake of the Red Sox is mighty eager to returns home in first place, and he figured that to do that he must take the two games from the Chicago South Siders.

Harry Lord's finger was so badly injured that he may not be able to play until the Red Sox reach St. Louis. He was not in uniform to-day and Harry Niles filled his position at third the same as yesterday.

The White Sox were feeling like two-year-olds when they ran on the field this afternoon. They made more hits against Cheek and Morgan than they have made in a long time, and the swatfest acted like a strychnine tonic on them.

MONGOLIAN FREE FROM ICE PRISON

ST. JOHN'S N. F., May 21.—The Allan line steamship Mongolian which, with her 500 passengers, has been locked for three days in a field of ice close off the harbor's mouth here, freed herself to-day, but worked only there inches at making any further attempt to enter this harbor. A hasty examination of her hull shows no serious damage.

The staunch sealing steamer Diana did much to help the Mongolian finally shake off her ice fetters, for the Diana had hammered out a narrow passage in the ice for some distance.

A heavy sea swell also helped the Allan liner to get free. The swell started last night and so broke the ice fields that the vessel after several attempts to-day finally made headway and was soon plunging the narrow way made for her by the Diana.

Dawn to-day revealed open water within a few miles of the steamship, and a little later a lead opened out through which the Mongolian steamed to comparative safety.

For the first hour or two it was slow work, as the ice was still heavy and continually driving in on the steamship. On getting farther off shore the floe opened out more, and at 8 a. m., with fairly clear water, the Mongolian swung around and headed down the coast and around Cape Spear, in the direction of Bay Bulls.

It was thought at first that the Mongolian might try to run into Petty Harbor, five miles south, but her captain decided to keep on to the more sheltered harbor of Bay Bulls, where it is expected that the Mongolian will lay until the mouth of this harbor is cleared of ice.

The weather to-day continues favorable, the wind holding light from the north with a cloudy sky. The thermometer last night fell to freezing, but rose to 38 at 7 a. m.

In shipping circles here the release of the Mongolian is looked upon as particularly fortunate, as the conditions last night were very threatening, and any easterly gale would have seriously injured the vessel.

WHY LOVE MAKING IS A LOST ART—A lamentable fact picturesquely set forth by Dorothy Dix in the SUNDAY AMERICAN.

DOVES AND CUBS MEET AGAIN; RED SOX TACKLE WHITE SOX

Boston's Doves went into the arena with the terrible Cubs this afternoon hoping that the hoodoo would forget to come around, but the fans weren't cheerful. Still Bowerman gave his bunch the high sign and they started with a "do or die" resolution.

The Red Sox turned up smiling in Chicago for their regarded yesterday's defeat as only an incident. Lake's team has the winning fever and the temperature hadn't decreased matrially when proceedings opened to-day.

DOVES AFTER HOODOO AND CUBS AGAIN

BATTING ORDER.

CHICAGO.	BOSTON.
Evers, 2b.	Dahlen, s.s.
Sheckard, l.f.	Bates, l.f.
Schulte, r.f.	Sweeney, 3b.
Howard, 1b.	Beaumont, c.f.
Hofman, c.f.	Ritchey, 2b.
Steinfeldt, 3b.	Becker, r.f.
Tinker, s.s.	Bowerman, c.
Morris, c.	Beck, 1b.
Reulbach, p.	Mattern, p.

SOUTH END GROUNDS, May 21.—The Boston Doves lined up with the Cubs this afternoon in an effort to even up for the defeat they sustained at the hands of the baby brutes, who proved to be a very vicious bunch in yesterday's mixup.

Things did not look particularly bright for the locals to even up, as the Cubs are in their stride, and most teams in the country have considerable respect for that "stride." Chance, while not having a mean disposition, stated that he don't see how he can afford to let the Doves win.

Manager Chance worked a double cross on the locals and saved his three best slab artists to perform while here. Chairman Pfeister was all to the good in yesterday's game, and it looked like the Doves would be treated to the same sort of a dose to-day. Mr. Orvie Overall was slated to deal the shutes, and then the Doves will have to face "Nordica" Brown in to-morrow's fray. This is the way Chance had things doped out.

TAX REFORM VICTORY IN THE SENATE

Without the least semblance of a contest, the State Senate, on a roll call, to-day reconsidered its defeat a week ago of the resolve for an amendment to the Constitution of Massachusetts to authorize the Legislature to classify property for purposes of taxation. The measure was previously killed by a vote of 17 to 16. No one opposed it to-day.

Senators Hultman of Quincy and Greenwood of Gardner took for it. After reconsideration had prevailed the measure was ordered to a third reading on a voice vote.

Senators who have opposed the measure said to-day that they had agreed with the bill's advocates to support it, provided a resolve is passed later for the creation of a commission, to consist of the Attorney-General, the Taxation Commissioner and an expert, to be appointed by the Governor, to consider the proposed classification and report to the members-elect of the Legislature of 1910 not later than November 15 next.

The amendment to the Constitution was petitioned for by the Boston Merchants' Association. It is planned by it to allow exemptions from taxation on machinery in order to invite new industrial enterprises in Massachusetts. The resolve must pass next year's Legislature by a two-thirds vote in the House and majority vote in the Senate and then be accepted by the voters before it becomes operative.

EIGHT BREAK SPEED LAW AND PAY FINES

Charged with exceeding the speed limit, nine chauffeurs were before Judge Joseph Churchill in the Dorchester Police Court to-day. The names of the men and the fines they paid were: Horace J. McDoogle, No. 73 Bigelow street, Brighton, $4; William H. Parry, No. 21 Lyle street, Malden, $4; Norman Nelson, No. 35 Intervale street, Roxbury, $8; Indiaman Pinson, No. 20 Harrison avenue, sentence suspended; Robert C. Hill, Sedgwick street, Jamaica Plain, $4; Charles J. Ingalls, No. 249½ Broadway, Cambridge, $8; David H. Ryan, No. 6 Trenton street, East Boston, $8; Edward P. Brock, Brookline, $8, and William A. Berveley, Hotel Tivoli, $20.

"COERCED" TO MARRY; LAMB SEEKS COURT

The case of Mr. and Mrs. Frederick J. Lamb and of the pretty baby girl, Dorothy Lamb, who was left at the Hotel Commonwealth last December comes before the Suffolk county courts to-day again in a suit Mr. Lamb filed, asking for annulment of his "pretended marriage" to Mrs. Lamb, Lamb claims that he went through this "pretended marriage" under duress.

Frederick J. Lamb is a leading music teacher of Boston and Worcester. Mrs. Lamb, or Jessica A. Shaw, as Lamb calls her, is the daughter of Oliver M. Shaw, a mining man of Boston and of Arizona, who formerly lived in Jamaica Plain.

The daughter used to teach in the Francis Parkman school in Jamaica Plain. She lodged at that time in a house on Peter Parley road. Later she was transferred to the Prescott school in Charlestown.

The case of the Lambs first became public when wide interest was aroused in Dorothy Lamb, a baby girl of ten months, who was at the Hotel Commonwealth last December. Proprietor Crafts of the hotel said that Mrs. Fred J. Lamb, a nurse, and the baby were at the hotel from October 27 to December 2. The mother was stricken with fever and was removed to the Massachusetts General Hospital on the latter date. The baby and the nurse remained at the hotel. There were no funds forthcoming to pay the hotel bill. Proprietor Crafts represented that he had been unable to get any payment from the mother or from her attorney.

Mrs. Lamb Brings Suit.

Fred J. Lamb, the music teacher, was quoted at that time as saying that he was not responsible for bills contracted by the mother, and that he wished nothing to do with her. It was said that Lamb admitted a marriage.

The next development was a suit last February by Mrs. Lamb against Frederick J. Lamb, charging non-support of herself and the baby. Mrs. Lamb came before Judge Murray with the baby in her arms in Boston Municipal Court.

There was a lengthy hearing. Mrs. Lamb said:

"I have no money. I am unable to work. I have just recovered from typhoid fever."

Judge Murray fined Lamb $100. Lamb made little defence at the hearing but appealed from the decision.

Now comes the latest and most startling allegations by Lamb, that he was forced into a pretended marriage with Jessica A. White. He asks that this be annulled. This is the first time a suit of this kind has ever been filed in Boston. It is on the divorce court list for the present session. Mrs. Lamb is represented by McDonald & Grinnan. Alfred S. Hayes is counsel for Mrs. Lamb.

"Form of Marriage."

In his libel now Mr. Lamb represents that he was "in form of law, but not in legal effect" married to Jessica A. Shaw in Boston on July 18, 1907, but that he has never lived with her as her husband.

He accuses Mrs. Lamb and her "servants and agents" as conspiring to injure the libellant by means of false representations to the Municipal Court, by which they secured a warrant for Lamb's arrest on a serious charge. Lamb further declares that the libellee offered to withdraw the charge, but that her servants and agents said that this was then impossible and that they also threatened to cause great injury to his character and reputation.

Lamb concludes, in his libel, that he was induced and coerced, through fear of injury to his character, reputation and business, to go through "a form of marriage."

STOPS A RUNAWAY, SAVES BOY'S LIFE

Luckily holding the bridle of a runaway horse and being dragged 100 yards, Patrolman Joseph F. McDonough of South Boston succeeded in stopping the animal in front of the Farragut statue in Marine Park, and undoubtedly saving the life of a boy who was in the wagon to which the horse was attached. After the stop the boy was lost in the crowd that collected around the officer. The horse was owned by J. W. Tate of East Fifth street, South Boston.

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Tan and gun metal Oxfords—82c a pair—value 1.50—sizes 6 to 11.

Misses' dull metal strap pumps—sizes 12 to 2—1.20 a pair—value 1.75.

Misses', Children's and Infants' ankle ties in canvas, tan and patent leather, 55c, 65c, 85c, and 1.35 a pair—values 75c to 1.75.

Crossbar muslin combinations 83c—value 98c.

Lingerie waists 95c—value 1.50.

Drawers—sizes 21 and 23 only—15c—value 25c.

Women's imported outsize stockings, black, 15c pair—value 25c.

Women's imported black stockings with white heel and toe—sizes 9 and 9½—19c—value 35c.

Women's Swiss ribbed vests—crochet yokes—19c—value 25c.

Continuation of the Big Sale of Tailored Suits From Cleveland, Ohio, in the Tunnel Bargain Basement Saturday at 9.85.
(15.00 to 20.00 Values.)

MRS. FRED LAMB, WHO FIGURES IN ANNULMENT CASE



MOTHER FOILS KIDNAPPERS

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someone coming on behind me rapidly. I turned and recognized my husband.

"He grabbed Irene. He ran with her toward a big auto that stood near. I dashed after them. I grabbed the child and screamed. I lost control of myself and I had a terrible struggle with my husband. I pulled and scratched and punched. He caught Irene by the hair and pulled some of it out. Irene screamed with fright and pain.

"Twice we rolled over together in the street. He kept tugging at us and getting us nearer and nearer the car. Finally, with a desperate jerk, he pulled Irene into the tonneau. I leaped on the running board of the car and clung to it. The car started and whizzed away. Two men tried to stop the car, but they were powerless.

"Finally my husband opened the door and pulled me inside. He held me and Irene. The car dashed ahead. I had no idea where we were going and he would not tell me. When I finally realized where we were we had reached Wellesley square. I tried to get away again. I told him that unless he would let me and the baby out I would do something desperate.

Wants Her Husband Back.

"He talked with the two men in front. I do not know who they were. The car turned about and returned to Boston. It was 1 o'clock when we reached Roxbury Crossing. He wanted to take Irene and let me go, but I would not permit it, and finally he let me have her. I remained all night with a friend.

"I love my husband and want him back. I also want Irene.

Irene's hands and face were badly scratched as a result of the rough experience she passed through.

"But you ought to see her father," remarked Mrs. Milligan with a smile.

Later to-day Mrs. Milligan went to the Roxbury court and sought to have a warrant recalled she had sworn out for the arrest of her husband for non-support. It was arranged that Milligan's father is to take care of Mrs. Milligan and the child.

The father of the child is A. J. Milligan of No. 10 Elmore street, Dorchester. He and his wife have been living apart for some time. Lately the mother and child have been living with Mrs. P. J. Wheeler of No. 38 Sterling street, Roxbury.

TO-DAY'S CABLE NEWS

Up to Midnight, London Time

Riots Break Out in Paris Strike.

PARIS—Riots broke out here to-day when the strikers made several attempts to invade the factories and buildings where th emen had refused to quit. Hot fights and a number of arrests resulted. The strikers are beginning to destroy property. Telegraph poles were thrown down and a valve in th ale reservoir of the subway under the Seine was unscrewed. This was discovered and remedied, else the workmen enterin gthe caisson would have been in great peril.

Ex-Sultan Gives Up Millions.

CONSTANTINOPLE—After using every delay and subterfuge in his power to prevent the passing of his fortune into the hands of the new government, Abdul Hamid has finally paid over his $2,500,000 to the government, according to a report to-day. This money consists of the amounts deposited in foreign banks in the heyday of his power and influence. He was threatened with death unless he gave up the money.

Bishop Denounces Society.

LONDON—In an address to the clergy on Sunday observance Bishop Thickness says:

"We have to deal with persons in the higher walks of life, with their social pretanities of the day by motor expeditions, dinner parties and games. A large fancy dress dinner party was held on the first Sunday of Lent, where so-called ladies shamelessly appeared dressed as men."

Meredith to Rest Near Wife.

LONDON—George Meredith's ashes having been denied a resting place in Westminster Abbe, the author will be buried in the churchyard at Dorking beside his wife. Dean Robinson of Westminster, it is said, chases Meredith among the free thinkers, who are not entitled to sepulture in a religious edifice. The body was cremated to-day.

Black Flag Near Vatican.

ROME—The Giordino Bruno Club, anticlerical, noted for its propaganda against the Vatican, has bought a house opposite the Vatican, on which it is to hoist a black flag and burn permanently on the roof a red beacon to symbolize the burning of the apostate priest after whom it is named.

To Build Eight Dreadnoughts.

LONDON—The Fall Mall Gazette announces to-day that the government, yielding to the demands of the public, will build eight dreadnoughts during the fiscal year. The agitation over heavier armaments has stirred England.

Mrs. Asquith Answers Critics.

LONDON—Mrs. Asquith, wife of the Prime Minister, has given an explanation of the exhibition of ladies' gowns given at the Premier's official residence. Mrs. Asquith says it was a private entertainment to personal friends.

France to Enlarge Navy.

PARIS—The navy program will bring the number of battleships up to thirty-six, a total that would ensure France fourth place among the powers. In 1910 two 21,000 tons vessels of an enlarged Danton type will be laid down.

Seven Dead in Church Crash.

LISBON—Seven were killed, eighty-five injured when a gallery containing 200 persons in the church belonging to a monastery at Deigil collapsed while services were being held and fell upon a crowded congregation. A panic followed.

Can't Find Knowles' Sailors.

CARACAS—The British Minister has made an inquiry into the report from St. Vincent, British West Indies, that the captain and crew of the ship Carrie D. Knowles were in a Venezuelan prison. A search has failed to confirm the report.

Strike Suspends Papers.

GENEVA, Switzerland—Not a newspaper was published to-day, owing to a compositors' strike. They resent the installation of the linotype machines. Several arrests were made. The printing trade is practically paralyzed.

Rewards for Americans.

NAPLES—The municipality has presented diplomas for assistance at the time of the earthquake to the American Consul, Lesger S. Crowninshield, and several other Americans.

Start New Capital.

MANILA—The corner stone of the capitol building was laid to-day, Vice Governor General W. Cameron Forbes and Senor Osmena, president of the assembly, jointly officiating.

Croker Is Turned Down.

DUBLIN—The Rathdown Board of Guardians has refused to erect a fence at a particular kind for Richard Croker. One member refused to vote Croker any special favors.

Fleet Going to Ireland?

DUBLIN—It is reported that the Navy Department at Washington has addressed a communication to the Lord Lieutenant suggesting the prospective visit of an American squadron to Ireland.

Fastest Ships for Italy.

ROME—The Italian navy Italy's new battleships will outdistance any in the world. They will be of 21,000 tons and will carry 12-inch guns.

Filipinos Ask Freedom.

MANILA—The Philippine General Assembly for the second time has adopted the resolution declaring in favor of the independence of the Islands.

6,000 Japs Are on Strike.

HONOLULU—More than 6,000 Japanese plantation laborers are out on strike. The planters have hired 1,100 strike-breakers and declare they won't yield.

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This contest will close on the same day that the public schools close for the Summer holidays. In case of a tie for any prize offered, a prize identical in character and value with that tied for will be given to each of the persons so tieing.

May 21, 1909

SEND IN FLAT PACKAGE DO NOT ROLL

MACKEREL LEADING FLEET MERRY CHASE

From the report brought in here by officers of the Clyde liner Katahdin, from Jacksonville, mackerel this year are playing a foxy game of hide and seek with the mackerel fleet, which explains the extraordinarily small catches so far this year. The Katahdin passed close to big schools of the elusive fish, and the searching fleet was miles and miles away. The fish, the ship's officers declared, were keeping ahead of the seiners and had the fishermen guessing.

CAPE MAY PIER WRECKED.

CAPE MAY, N. J., May 21—The great iron pier here was partly demolished to-day by a stone-laden government barge which was running wild after having been torn from its moorings by the high wind and heavy seas. The damage is estimated at about $25,000.

HUNGER DROVE MAN TO TURN ROBBER

PROVIDENCE, R. I., May 21.—Francis Farrell, nineteen years old, belonging in Webster, Mass., was arrested here, on the charge of stealing three oranges from a street vender. An investigation showed that the young man was on his way to get work, was very hungry, and having no money, stole the fruit. He was placed on probation.

"THE HOUSE NEXT DOOR," a thrilling story of love, envy, race hatred and ambition that will interest the young and old alike, novelized from J. Huntley Manners's drama of the same title, begins in next SUNDAY'S BOSTON AMERICAN. Don't miss the opening chapters.

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Black Velvet Ribbons Satin back, at prices never before quoted in this city.

No. 9—Velvet Ribbons, 1½ inches wide, value 25c, for.... 10c
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No. 16—Velvet Ribbons, 2 inches wide, value 39c, for.... 16c

Satin Taffeta Ribbon, 5 inches wide, beautiful rich finished satins in black, white, pink, blue, cardinal, navy, brown, old rose, lilac, mais, nile, etc., the correct millinery ribbon. Regular price 22c yard, for..... 12½c

Taffeta Ribbon, 5 inches wide, very bright finish, heavy weight, for hair ribbons or millinery, a complete assortment of colors, also white and black. Regular price 19c yard, for..... 12½c

Moire Taffeta Ribbon, 5 inches wide, in all the newest colors, also white and black. Reg. price 25c yard, for 16c

All Silk Taffeta Ribbon, 3 inches wide, in white, pink, blue, cardinal and navy. Regular price 12½c yard, for 8c

Moire Ribbon Belting, all silk, No. 12, in white, pink, blue, navy, brown and black. Reg. price 25c yard, for 19c

New Wash Ribbons No. 1½, in two different patterns, colors white, pink and blue; put up in pieces of 5 yards on regular ribbon block. Worth 10c, price per piece 7½c

Important Reductions in Men's Outing Shirts, Pajamas and Night Robes

Men's Outing Shirts, attached and detached collar, made from high-grade mohair. Regular price $2.00 and $2.25, for 1.10

Men's Night Robes, samples of muslin, cambric and twill cotton, plain and fancy trimmed. Regular price 75c and $1.00, for 45c

Men's Outing Shirts, silk soissettes and imported fine flannel. Regular price $2.50 and $3.00, for.. 1.50

Men's Pajamas, "samples" of one of the best manufacturers; madras, sateen and soissettes; variety of colors. Regular price $1.50 to 2.50, for 85c

As quantities are limited, an early purchase is requested, as at the above low prices lots will not last long.

Extraordinary Two Days' Sale of Women's Neckwear

Lace Chemisettes, coat collars, coat sets, princess lace collar and cuff sets, etc. Regular price 50c and 75c, for 29c

Embroidered Linen Laundered Dutch Collars, variety of patterns, in all sizes. Regular price 25c, for..... 18c

Venise Lace Dutch Collars, in white only. Regular price 25c each, for.... 16c

The New Button Automobile Veils, hemstitched chiffon, in black, white, pink, sky, navy, brown, lavender, champagne etc., for..... 95c

Linen Coat Sets, white with colored embroidery. Reg. price 39c, for 12½c

Dutch Collars, lace stocks, rabats, bows, embroidered linen collars, ascots, etc. Regular price 12½c, 9c

Cord Ruching, extra large silk cord, white, pink, sky and old rose. Regular price 25c yard, for..... 12½c

Veilings, newest effects in mesh veilings, black, white and full assortment of colors. Regular price 25c yard, for 12½c

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A Group of Splendid Bargains in Boys' Summer Clothing



Boys' Knickerbocker Pants, all-wool fancy mixtures or khaki, sizes 4 to 17 years. Regular price 69c
$1.00, for 69c

Boys' Wash Suits, sizes 3 to 10 years, in white or fancy stripes and checks, in Galatea cloth and ducks, Russian or sailor styles. Worth $1.50, for 98c

Boys' Suits, sizes 3 to 16 years, Russian, sailor or double-breasted styles, in fancy mixtures; also serges, sizes 3 to 10 years. Regular price $3.00, for 1.85

Boys' Suits, sizes 8 to 16 years, in blue serges and fancy Scotch mixtures, with knickerbocker pants. Regular price $4.00, for 2.75

Boys' Confirmation Suits, in blue or black serges, also fancy mixtures, sizes 3 to 17 years. Actually worth $5.00, for 3.95

Boys' Suits, all wool, blue and black serges, also fancy Scotch cheviots and worsteds, sizes 3 to 17 years. Actually worth $6.50 and $7.50, for 4.95

Young Men's Suits, sizes 15 to 20 years, special at 7.50, 8.50, 10.00, 12.00 and 15.00

Children's Barefoot Sandals and Brown Kid Ankle Strap Pumps at Less Than Cost

79c and 98c



Tan Leather Barefoot Sandals, broad, natural foot styles, heavy double stitched soles.

Children's Sizes, 5 to 11..... 79c | Misses' Sizes, 12 to 2..... 98c

Brown Kid Ankle Strap Pumps, new styles (like illustration), made with a good sole, suitable for street wear; quantity limited for Saturday.

Children's Sizes, 8 to 11 ..... 79c | Misses' Sizes, 12 to 2 ..... 98c

What Saturday Has to Offer in Girls' Dainty Dresses

Early summer stocks are charmingly ideal. The variety is broad, while the prices are so moderate as to be surprising.



Girls' Polka and Ring Dot Gingham Dresses, sizes 6 to 14 years (four models as illustrated), made of a splendid grade of navy or cadet blue gingham, with white polka or ring dots, low and high neck effects, full pleated skirts. Regular price $1.25, for..... 89c

Girls' Dresses, of sheer white lawn, elaborately trimmed with insertion of val. lace or embroidery, deep cape skirts, finished with cluster tucking, sizes 6 to 14 years. Value $1.98, for..... 98c

Girls' Party Dresses, of white Persian lawn, daintily trimmed with insertion of val. lace or embroidery, some cape effects, skirts trimmed to match and cluster tucking. Value $3.98, for..... 2.98

Girls' Dresses, of sheer white lawn, elegantly trimmed with deep yoke, finished with embroidery or lace, ruffle skirt, deep flounce, sizes 6 to 14 years. Value $2.75, for 1.65

Girls' Madras and Gingham Dresses, beautiful patterns and new colorings, in fine madras and gingham, high and low neck effects, elegantly trimmed, full pleated skirts, sizes 6 to 14 years. Regular Values up to $2.50, for 1.89

Girls' Coats of man wear materials, in various patterns and colorings, fancy all wool mixtures, in light shades; not a full range of sizes in every style, but all sizes from 6 to 14 years in lot. Regular early season prices $3.98 to $5.00, at, choice..... 2.25

Clothes for the Little Ones

Dainty Wash Dresses, sizes 2 to 6 years, low neck and short sleeves, in pink, blue and tan percales, trimmed with white piping. Value 98c, for 49c

Children's Coats and Reefers, in a variety of styles, loose, full box effects, solid colors, sizes 2 to 6 years. Regular price $3.50 to $4, for 1.89

DOUBLE STAMPS EVERY FORENOON

GRANARD MADE KNIGHT APOLOGY TO COUNTESS BY COMMAND OF KING



The Earl and Countess of Granard.

LONDON, May 21.—At Buckingham Palace to-day King Edward conferred the insignia of the order of the Knighthood of St. Patrick upon the Earl of Granard, who married Miss Beatrice Mills, the American heiress.

Last night the Earl and Countess dined with King Edward at the mansion of Mr. and Mrs. George Keppel. Zest was added to the occasion by news of a public apology by the Earl of Ronaldshay, who had insulted the American girl in a speech in his parliamentary district by calling her "a dumped American heiress who had been fortunate enough to secure a title."

It is an open secret that the Earl's apology was made at the request of the King himself.

"I did not mean it seriously," said the Earl. "I admit that, on seeing it in black and white, it was a singularly ill-chosen joke. I did not intend it as a slight in any way on the lady. I realize that what I said could have a meaning which I never intended. I extremely regret it, for I see it could be taken as having an objectionable meaning, and I take this opportunity of expressing in public my regret that the remark should have fallen from my lips."

Lady Granard looked pretty in a new Paris gown of white satin decorated with crystals and silver embroidery on the corsage. Her blond hair held a broad, almost regal crown of diamonds. Her throat was clasped by her famous pearl and diamond necklace.

Lady Arthur Paget and Consuelo, dowager Duchess of Manchester, were the only other Americans at the dinner. The King intends to spend a week-end with Sir Arthur and Lady Paget at their country house, Coombe Warren.

SWEPT OVER FALLS.

LANCASTER, N. H., May 21.—While a crew of river men were attempting to shoot the rapids at Northumberland Falls their boat was overturned and Gid Marshall of Grand Falls, N. B., a river driver, was drowned. The four other men in the boat managed to get rid of their heavy boots and their coats and swam ashore in the rapid current.

HOW TO TREAT YOUR RHEUMATISM AT HOME

An Attleboro Woman Tells of a Remedy That Helped Her From the Start.

The latest scientific works state that the ordinary medical treatments of rheumatism are still far from satisfactory. For this reason sufferers from rheumatism will be interested in the success which Dr. Williams' Pink Pills have had in curing this painful disease.

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills have cured hundreds of cases, and are the most direct treatment of rheumatism, because they drive its poisons out of the blood. That rheumatism is a disease of the blood is shown by the fact that it is hereditary in certain families, and that there is a marked thinning of the blood immediately following its attack.

Mrs. Frank E. Upton, of No. 46 Union street, Attleboro, Mass., treated her rheumatism through the blood with Dr. Williams' Pink Pills and a cure resulted. She says:

"After an attack of the grip, I was left with muscular rheumatism. The muscles in my limbs were affected. For six weeks I couldn't walk at all. I suffered terribly when on my feet. My stomach was out of order. I could eat nothing but crackers and tea and even this diet hurt me. There was an awful pain in my stomach and there seemed to be a weight on it.

"At first the doctor helped me but after a time I grew worse again. He said nothing would do me much good but, I would feel better when summer came. I was discouraged and, when a friend told me to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, I began using them. I began to notice an improvement while taking the first few boxes. The benefit continued until I was cured. I have no rheumatism now and can stand on my feet all day. My appetite is good and my stomach does not distress me. I can recommend Dr. Williams' Pink Pills to any sufferer with rheumatism."

If you have failed to find more than temporary relief from your suffering, the treatment is most likely not a blood-builder and you are, therefore, not treating the cause of your trouble. You should not neglect to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. Our booklet, "Diseases of the Blood," will be sent free to any sufferer upon request.

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are sold by all druggists, or sent by mail, postpaid, on receipt of price, 50 cents per box; six boxes for $2.50, by the Dr. Williams Medicine Company, Schenectady, N. Y.

The Open Door.

The door to fortune is thrown open for every man at least once during a lifetime, but if the opportunity is not seized it closes again on him forever. The door to health, prosperity and happiness now stands ajar, and you are invited to enter. Burdened with bodily pain and anguish of mind, you are not able to perform life's work with the energy, foresight and reflection that promise success. Be a factor in the struggle for fortune's crown by freeing your body of disease, which originates in the liver, stomach, bowels, blood and kidneys. Go to your druggist and purchase a 30 days' treatment of Dr. Burkhart's Vegetable Compound, 25 cents, and if not cured send empty box and the money will be refunded, a sufficient guarantee of the trustworthiness of my statements. Or, if you cannot afford the small expense, treatment will be sent free. Dr. W. S. Burkhart, Station B, Cincinnati, Ohio.

TREASURY VISITOR WANTED A MILLION

WASHINGTON, May 21.—A tall man from Michigan sauntered into the U. S. Treasury and asked the whereabouts of the money. He said he wanted about $1,000,000.

A watchman turned him over to the captain of the watch, but that individual could not see his way to loosen up.

"I thought this was the place where you kept the people's money," ventured the stranger.

"So it is," remarked the captain as he rang for the wagon.

The stranger with the itching palm is locked up waiting a test of his sanity. He gave the name of Sherman Washburn of Berrien, Mich.

FIGHT TO ALLOW GIRL TD JOIN SWEETHEART

Philip Pinto of New Bedford, assisted by Senator Ross and several other influential friends, is trying to-day to induce the immigration officials to allow pretty Maria Adalina Salgada of Oporto to land to marry him. Because the young woman misunderstood the English language, or the interpreter her Portuguese, she was not allowed to come ashore yesterday from the Canopic when she said that she was going to Philip Pinto whether he married her or not. She really meant in the Portuguese fashion to say that she loved the man with the greatest devotion. Charles P. Bryan, United States Minister to Portugal, personally vouches for Pinto.

WEST OUSTS NEW ENGLAND YOUNG MEN

PORTLAND, Me., May 21.—New England is giving way to the West in furnishing young men for public office, is the statement of John Barrett, director of the International Bureau of American Republics.

He made a strong appeal for New England to regain lost ground at the Y. M. C. A. convention here.

"There never was a time in the history of the United States," he said, "when there was such a demand as now for strong, forceful, wholesome and dependable men, men of unquestioned character, honesty and reliability.

A SCHUMANN-HEINK GOES INTO CHORUS

NEW YORK, May 21.—Henry Schumann-Heink, favorite son of Mme. Schumann-Heink, the prima donna, has adopted the stage as a profession. Now twenty-one, he has gone into the chorus of "The Boy and the Girl," at $18 a week. He intends to climb the ladder through sheer ability. Young Schumann-Heink has a thorough education, obtained in Berlin, Vienna and at the Institute of Te[illegible]nology of Massachusetts.

WHY LOVE MAKING IS A LOST ART—A lamentable fact picturesquely set forth by Dorothy Dix in the SUNDAY AMERICAN.

BURGLARS USE GUNS IN CHASE

The Brookline police are to-day searching for two burglars who made a bold attempt to rob the home of Elston Blunt, No. 42 Mason terrace, in the aristocratic Corey Hill section, and were found in the act of entering the house by Policeman Thompson of the Brookline force. One shot was fired at Thompson, and he sent three more after the fleeing burglars, who made their escape.

DEMOCRATIC PARTY GONE, SAYS COCKRAN

NEW YORK, May 21.—Former Congressman Bourke Cockran, sailing by the French steamship La Savoie, said that, speaking in a national sense, he did not know what the word Democracy meant in this country to-day. "Do you mean that there is no Democratic party?" he was asked. "Not that I am able to discover," Mr. Cockran answered. Mr. Cockran expressed the opinion that the tariff was being settled not upon the floor of the House and Senate, but in private gatherings of the legislators. He said that it is merely a question of political bargaining between them.

EXPERTS ON CITY PLANNING GATHER

WASHINGTON, May 21.—The national conference on city planning, the call for which was issued by Miss Jane Addams of Hull House, Chicago; Charles W. Eliot and many other prominent men, began here to-day. Forty cities and eight States and foreign countries are represented in the exhibit which shows plans for parks, playgrounds and housing conditions. President Taft will speak at one of the sessions.

SPLENDID NEW SERIAL STORY of intense interest, "The House Nex' Door," begins in the SUNDAY AMERICAN. Read It.

BURRAGES WIN $500,000 SUIT

Albert C. Burrage, the copper magnate, and Charles D. Burrage, his brother, win in the $500,000 suit over the Arimex Copper litigation, according to a decision handed down by the full bench of the Supreme Judicial Court to-day on their appeal.

The suit was brought by Henry G. Runkle, representing a pool of fifty subscribers. Runkle, as petitioner, sought to recover from the Burrages $500,000 which had been placed in their hands to form a new mining enterprise.

This enterprise, which was to control the copper mines of Arizona and New Mexico, was known as the Arimex Consolidated Copper Mining Company.

The money was paid into a blind pool. The petitioner represented in his suit that the company had not been a success and that the Burrages, being responsible for the money, should return it. The case was originally given to an auditor, who reported in favor of Runkle.

The Burrages promptly appealed and to-day's decision by the full bench rules that they were not alone responsible for the safety of the mining enterprise, as the money was paid in voluntarily, and that the Burrages still control the Arimex.

HELEN CORTELYOU DEAD.

NEW YORK, May 21.—Helen Cortelyou, the nine-year-old daughter of George B. Cortelyou, former Secretary of the Treasury and now president of the Consolidated Gas Company, is dead at the Cortelyou home, Huntington, L. I., following two attacks of grip suffered during the Winter.

"BLUE EYES" BEFORE JUDGE

"Baby Blue Eyes," the pretty two-year-old boy, variously known as Adelbert Silvia, Albert Stimson and "Little Jimmy," added another to his whirl of experiences when he was to-day arraigned before Judge Baker as a neglected child.

He is the curly-haired youngster who went through so many hands since his birth two years and four months ago in a Brookline street hospital, to be finally deserted in Harrison avenue last Saturday, to eventually fall into the protecting hands of Superintendent Carstens of the Society for Prevention of Cruelty to Children.

The charge of being a neglected child brought against the lad was only a technical one to enable the society to hold him until investigations are finished and a suitable home is procured. Special Agent James S. Carter and Messenger John Powers took the boy to Judge Baker's Court and to-day he was turned over to the custody of the society.

Messenger Powers carried the crowing youngster, who is waxing fat and hearty under the care of Matron Wilson, in his arms to the court, and Agent Carter busied himself with the legal formalities with the Judge.

$100,000 TO IMPROVE THE BOSTON HARBOR

The fight between Governor Draper and the Committee on Harbors and Lands was settled in the House with the passage of a bill to provide for an annual appropriation of $100,000 for harbor work. It was an amendment offered by Pattison of Barnstable on the bill which the Governor wanted.

MELLEN OPENS EXPRESS WAR

HARTFORD, Ct., May 21.—The New York, New Haven & Hartford Express Company has been incorporated here with a million dollars capital stock, half of which is paid in.

Its charter, which the Legislature will be asked to grant immediately, is broad enough to allow it to handle all the express business of the New Haven steam and trolley railroads and steamship lines and of the Boston & Maine Railroad.

The articles of incorporation say that the company seeks "to act as a common carrier for business by express upon any boats or vehicles owned by the New York, New Haven Hartford Railroad, or by any company in which the railroad is a shareholder."

The last clause will enable the road to pick up the express business of the Boston & Maine in time, when the New Haven line will admit owning the shares of stock possessed by John I. Billard of Meriden.

The incorporators of the company are given as Augustus S. May of Bridgeport, Benjamin Campbell of New Haven, and H. M. Kochersberger of New Haven. They represent the scope of the company. Mr. May is treasurer of the New Haven road, Mr. Campbell is vice-president of the New Haven steam lines, and Mr. Kochersberger is vice-president of the trolley lines owned by the road.

DES MOINES COMING HERE FOR REPAIRS

Notice has been received at the Charlestown Navy Yard that the United States Cruiser Des Moines will come there soon for ordinary repairs necessary for cruising efficiency. The Des Moines will arrive at Hampton Roads on May 26 from Guantanamo, Cuba. The vessel will then proceed to Charlestown.

TWO BILLIONS BY CONGRESS

WASHINGTON, May 21.—The enormous total of $1,070,482,732 authorized for expenditure by the Sixtieth Congress during the last session breaks the records of all preceding sessions.

It is $26,080,875 more than the announced total of appropriations at the close of the session. The additional sum is explained as the amount carried in contracts authorized to be entered into for public works requiring future appropriations by Congress. In round sums Congress spent $2,080,000,000. This makes it a two-billion-dollar Congress.

Congress parcelled out rewards to party workers by creating a net increase of 4,503 new offices at a net increased cost of $6,376,869 a year. This in spite of a growing deficit.

The new offices and employments authorized are 10,120 in number, at an annual compensation of $11,176,899.50, and those abolished or omitted are 6,243 in number, at compensation of $5,504,890.50.

A comparison of appropriations of the first session of the Sixtieth Congress for 1909, $1,008,397,543.56, with those of the second session of the Sixtieth Congress for 1910, $1,044,401,357.12, shows an increase of $36,004,313.56.

The increases by appropriation acts follow: by the Agricultural act, $1,322,930; by the army act, $5,813,635.73; by the diplomatic and consular acts, $75,008.05; by the District of Columbia act, $697,642.64; by the Indian act, $2,601,634.61; by the military academy act, $1,685,886.46; by the naval act, $14,271,313.58; by the postoffice act, $11,721,478; by the sundry civil act, $25,738,535.13. A river and harbor act carrying $9,435,750 is shown to have passed, none having been enacted at the previous session of Congress.

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OPPOSE CULTS, ELIOT'S ADVICE

Declaring a need for the medical profession to organize to co-operate against various persons and cults opposing the progress of medical and surgical science, former President Eliot of Harvard, in his speech at the alumni dinner of the Harvard Medical School, said:

"There are new influences to scientific progress in medicine, new groups of persons who actually oppose, and the profession needs to work as one body against these opponents of medical and surgical progress. This is often difficult because the opponents are often calle 'humanitarians.' It is for the medical profession to show that those composing it are the real humanitarians. The obstacles to scientific progress must be subdued and overcome, and this can only be done by teaching the public through all channels of instruction."

Other speakers were President Lowell, Dr. William Osler, Dr. Albert Worcester, Dean Henry Christian, General Leonard Wood, Lieutenant-Governor Frothingham and Dr. Philip King Brown of San Francisco.

H. H. GALLISON ILL.

Henry H. Gallison, the famous landscape painter, is said to be dangerously ill at his home on Brattle street, Cambridge.

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From Rochester We Buy 750 Fine Suits

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Big things are happening daily at The Big Store, and the great sale of high-grade suits is but one of our usual surprises. Our buyer, just back from Rochester, procured 750 hand-made suits in the newest shades of olive, tan, gray and taupe. Every suit made to sell at $18, placed on sale today at 13.75



Bell Model Suits

Regular $18 and $20 Values

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We cannot tell you too much about these Special Bell Model Suits. They are the greatest value in Boston, hand-made, the newest shades. Every stitch an exact copy of the $100 models made by Bell the crack New York tailor.

Hand Made Suits

Regular $22 Values

Each day sees newer additions to our $18 line. As the season progresses finer grades are added and the values represented are the best you ever saw. Every pattern, style and model exclusive and worth up to $25. Our price

18.00

Finest Worsted Suits

Regular $30 Values

22.50

These suits are absolutely all custom tailored. Every garment handled by an experienced workman used to only custom clothing. Suits that any tailor readily charges up to $50 for you buy with our guarantee of proper fit for $22.50.

Rousing Sale of Boys' Suits



$5 Confirmation Suits . . . 3.98

For graduation or confirmation, all wool, fast color blue serge, black worsteds and Thibets. Unusual $5 values for........$3.98

$4.50 Knicker Suits (Two Pairs Trousers)

Great value are these all wool gray and brown mixed cassimeres, well tailored, fancy cuffs and roomy trousers. Fairly priced at $4.50; our price 2.85

75c Wash Suits 48c

About 1200 Sailor and Russian Suits of best Pacific Percales, pink, brown and blue stripes.

$1.00 Knicker Pants 69c

The gray, brown and light tan mixtures made to sell for $1, our price 69c.

$3 Child's Sailors and Russians

Handsome brown and gray mixed cassimeres, cut full size, silk stars and emblems on sleeves. Ages 3 to 8 years. Regular $3 values....... 1.95

75c Bloomer Pants 45c

For boys, ages 3 to 8 years. Elegant patterns, fine strong fabrics, worth 75c, our price 45c.

Men's Top Coats

$15 Top Coats You Buy For . . . $10

A beauty, of high grade English covert, serge lined, full cut, box face, and snug fitting collar that will not sag at the neck. Actual worth is $15, for $10

$15 Top Coats for $12

Either short or long, in tan, oxford or black undressed worsted. Actual $15 values for

$12

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Special offer, handsome black unfinished worsted, silk lined to the edge. Regular $20 coat for

$15

A $2500 Insurance Policy Free with Every Purchase of $10 or Over.

Sale of Fancy Vests

$3 and $4 Values

A good chance to pick up two or three snappy light or dark vests at low price. In flannels, worsted and pique. Elegant styles, worth $3 and $4. 1.95

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DRAPER WHIP ON SOLONS TO FORCE ACTION

A deadlock between Governor Draper and members of the Republican State machine on one side and influential Republican members of the Legislature on the other, is impending on Beacon Hill. The Governor's brigade is trying to swing the big stick on Republican members.

Friends of the Governor have been uttering threats of a special session of the Legislature of the Boston charter revision bill and the Governor's bill for a holding company for the Boston & Maine stock held by John L. Billard of Connecticut were not speedily enacted without material changes.

In that mysterious manner peculiar to the present administration, word has passed through the State House that the Governor is determined to have his own way about these two most important measures of the session.

Rumor of Special Session.

Rumors are rife that Governor Draper will convene the Legislature in extraordinary session and keep it at work all through the Summer and Fall if it dares to pass an order of prorogation before disposing of the charter and holding company bills.

That some of the big Republican members of the Legislature were impressed with the showing made by the merchants and business men at the hearing of the holding company bill is evidenced.

Representative Norman White, one of the acknowledged leaders on the Republican side, declares that he and other Republicans cannot be clubbed into line for the holding bill in its present shape.

They declare that it is tantamount to a practical merger measure bill and in a round-about way allows the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad to do something which the Legislature of last year expressly prohibited it from doing and which the Supreme Court has held it has no right under existing laws to do.

Republicans in Revolt.

Republicans are openly saying they would sooner vote for an out and out merger measure than for such a disguised merger law as the holding bill.

Even the Legislative Committee on Railroads is disposed to proceed slowly after hearing the arguments of the business men and has requested Attorney General Dana Malone for an opinion as to whether or not the proposed holding company bills, drafted by him at the request of Governor Draper will, if enacted, affect the pending suit of the United States Government against the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad for violation of the Sherman anti-trust law.

400 AT BRILLIANT SOCIETY WEDDING

GREAT BARRINGTON, May 21.—Raye Palmer Woodin and Miss Francie Cone Day, both prominent in society, were married in the First Congregational Church here. Nearly four hundred attended. The bride carried a wedding handkerchief held by her mother when she was married, and her veil was one which had long been in the family. The best man was George Philips Dike of Boston, who was a classmate of Mr. Woodin at Williams.

GREATEST TREASURE HUNT EVER KNOWN—Read it in the SUNDAY AMERICAN. More fascinating than any novel is this attempt to secure $120,000,000 of Spanish riches.

ART WORKS LOST IN $200,000 FIRE

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., May 21.—Exclusive Burlingame witnessed its first great fire when the magnificent mansion of Joseph D. Grant, millionaire dry goods man and art connoisseur, was completely destroyed, entailing a loss of nearly $200,000.

Famous paintings which never can be replaced, furniture rich in its antiquity and of great historical value, and bric-a-brac gathered from all quarters of the globe, went up in smoke.

The roll of names of those who responded to the urgent call for a volunteer fire department reads like a register of guests at one of San Francisco's most select society affairs.

SUBSCRIPTIONS, BOYS AND GIRLS, WILL WIN TOURS

FIRE away at subscription getting, boys and girls. Don't delay, if you hope to win one of the prizes in the Boston American's Free Vacation Tour contest.

NOW IS THE TIME TO GET OUT AND HUSTLE FOR SUBSCRIPTIONS, if you want to go around the world this Summer; if you want to go to Europe this Summer; if you want to spend a most delightful week traveling in Pullman palace cars through your own country.

Get to work NOW!

Time Is Flying Fast.

There isn't so much time left in the contest. But there is plenty of time in which the earnest workers can double their standing. You will be surprised when you see the changes in the list on Sunday. There is no reason why YOU cannot surprise YOUR friends when the list is published the next time.

Between now and the close of the contest you have every opportunity to put your name much higher on the list than it is now. It won't take so very many votes, either, reckoned by subscriptions, to win a place among the first four, and once you are there, hold on to it.

"Possession," you know, "is nine points of the law." When your name is on top, you can be pretty sure you are going to win. YOU won't have to worry when the prizes are awarded.

Travel in Fine Style.

The boys will be started around the world to break a record. The girls will be started off to Europe to enjoy, in a leisurely manner, the splendors and sights offered by the European capitals, and the winners of the American Tours will travel in the most up-to-date fashion, taking in the most interesting points in this country.

NOW is the time to get busy—don't wait even a day. Get out and HUSTLE and you will be surprised to find the speed with which you will work up through the list toward the top, and what is more important, toward the prizes. Don't delay. Hustle. Get out to-day and get some votes. Keep at it to-morrow and the next day and every day until the contest closes. Do this and you will be surprised to see how quickly you will creep up on the leaders.

Surprise Your Rivals.

The boys and girls who have pushed themselves up to the top of the list have not done so without an effort, and a mighty big effort at that. They have been working every minute. They have not let an opportunity slip by them where they could secure a subscription. That's what you will have to do if you want to win one of these trips. If you don't work you will have the unpleasant experience of watching the workers creep up past you on the list and win the prizes.

Get out and hustle with all your might and main, say for two days, and see what the result will be. See if you don't feel satisfied that it is easy to climb high. Then when you are convinced that two days' work will boost you up, see what a week's good, hard work will do. You will actually surprise yourself. You will surely surprise your friends and you will astound the other contestants who are less active, less aggressive and less ambitious. Just try it and see for yourself.

Since the printing of this list the boys and girls have been doing all kinds of stunts in the subscription getting. One bright, eager schoolgirl stated this morning that she is eating subscriptions, dreaming subscriptions and talking subscriptions every moment, and she finds the work of subscription getting extremely interesting.

That's the proper way to look at it. She is getting there, too. You'll see her when the time comes, one of the happy recipients of the prizes if she keeps up this sort of thinking.

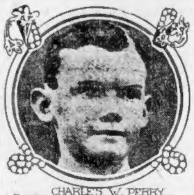
Some Hard Workers.

Alphonso Swartz, No. 38 Pearl avenue, Beachmont, wishes to make an appeal to the people of his town and Revere to rally to his assistance with subscriptions. He says they can send him around the world "as easy as pie" if they will only get together and support his candidacy. Who will do it?

Charles W. Perry, No. 3 Prescott street, East Boston, who is only just getting started, is in it to win, and from now on he will be heard from. He intends making a great effort to wrest the prize from some other boy, and is making plans for securing subscriptions which will develope to his interest.

Hazel G. Rand, No. 301 Broadway, Cambridge, is another contestant who as yet has not been able to devote as much time as she would like to the subscription getting. However, from now out she intends making a thorough canvass among her friends and neighbors.

Oscar Schoenbaum, No. 61 Almont street, Malden, is going to spring some surprises in his part of the world. He is going to make things lively for some of the other Maldenites, and they had better look to their laurels when this young man gets going. Watch him!



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THOUGHT DEAD, BACK AFTER DOZEN YEARS

After a twelve years absence during which time he was reported as dead, William Lamb, at one time a call man on the Malden Fire Department, appeared in that city and surprised many of his former friends with a visit.

Lamb was formerly a resident of the Maplewood section of Malden. After he left there, a story appeared in the paper that a man by the same name had died. His friends thought it was he, and gave him up as dead.

MRS. BELMONT IN WARNING TO STORES

NEW YORK, May 21.—Mrs. O. H. P. Belmont to-day notified merchants in Hempstead, L. I., that she would not be responsible for any debts contracted in her name unless written vouchers bearing her signature were presented. This notification follows a similar notice given a few days ago to tradesmen in Newport. Various persons in Hempstead have been visiting the tradesmen and ordering all sorts of goods and then having them charged to Mrs. Belmont.

LABOR

The Carpenters' District Council of Greater Boston emphatically disapproved of the veto of the eight-hour bill which promised to benefit the carpenters in particular, and expressed sincere regret that large corporations would still be permitted to violate the eight-hour work day and the present law and thus disrupt the work of the trade unions of this State.

Carpenters' District Council of Boston and vicinity will notify the employers at once of the new working conditions and scale which it is proposed to put into effect June 1. A special meeting will be held next Thursday night at No. 30 Hanover street to receive reports and to decide upon what action may be necessary.

A referendum vote of 5,000 members of the council voted almost unanimously to continue the present working rules until June 1, after which the same rules with a Saturday half-holiday for the year round and a wage scale of 47½ cents an hour to go into effect.

A conference will be held to-morrow night at Wells Memorial Building, No. 987 Washington street, by representatives of the various label crafts affiliated with the Boston Central Labor Union, for the purpose of deciding upon plans for the formation of a label trades section of the C. L. U. The new body will formulate a constitution and by-laws, which are to be accepted by the C. L. U. before becoming effective.

MEETINGS TO-NIGHT.

Grand Council of Carpenters of Eastern Massachusetts at No. 30 Hanover street.

City Employes Joint Council at Blatchford Hall, No. 987 Washington street.

Stationary Engineers No. 16 at No. 514 Tremont street.

Advisory Board of Bricklayers No. 3 at No. 386 Harrison avenue.

Carpenters No. 889 at Red Men's Hall, Market street and Chestnut Hill avenue, Brighton.

Roslindale Carpenters No. 935 at Fairview Hall, No. 41 Poplar street.

Hebrew Bakers No. 45 at No. 164 Canal street.

Colored Cooks and Waiters No. 226 at No. 446 Tremont street.

Steam Railway Assembly No. 1,741, B. & M. R. R., at Monument Hall, Charlestown.

Boiler Makers No. 250 at Naomi Hall, No. 724 Washington street.

Car Workers, Boston Lodge No. 35 at No. 164 Canal street.

Iron and Brass Molders No. 106 at No. 694 Washington street.

Lithographers No. 3 at No. 987 Washington street.

Molders No. 428 at room No. 9, No. 995 Washington street.

Wood Carvers' Association at No. 724 Washington street.

Painters No. 769 at Farnell Hall, Brighton.

Roxbury Association No. 14, N. A. S. E., at No. 995 Washington street.

Piano and Furniture Movers and Helpers No. 343 at No. 1,695 Tremont street.

Car Workers, Somerville Lodge No. 108 at Swarts Hall.

Market and Commission House Teamsters No. 631 at A. O. H. Hall, No. 2 Union street, Charlestown.

BRIDE'S PLEA GETS BROTHER HIS FURLOUGH

A pretty Somerville girl, the bride to-day of a Boston man, has caused all the red tape of the War Department to be set aside. Her brother, a soldier boy, is the best man at her wedding to-day, Secretary of War Jacob M. Dickinson having granted him a furlough after he had received a letter from the girl requesting that her brother be allowed to leave his duties so as to be at the wedding.

The girl is Miss Annie L. Rome, of No. 7 Joseph street, Somerville; the sweetheart is Israel Matt, of No. 28 Oneida street, this city, and the best man, officially provided by Uncle Sam, is Private Paul Revere Rome, of the Fourth Company, U. S. A. The wedding ceremony is to be performed by the Rev. J. C. Shane of the Congregation of Ahabat Achim.

This is Miss Rome's letter that won the consent of the Secretary of War:

> Jacob M. Dickinson, secretary of war, Washington, D. C.
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> Dear Sir—With somewhat of hesitancy, but with a courage born of hope, I am taking the liberty to thus address you, trusting that you will pardon my seeming presumption and lend an ear to my earnest entreaty.
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> Three months ago my brother, Paul R. Rome, enlisted in the regular army, Company Four, and is stationed at Fort Slocum, Long Island Sound, New York.
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> Now the time is drawing near when I am to become a bride, and, according to the custom of the Jewish church, such an occasion is considered not only sacred and joyous throughout, when all the family gather at the hearthstone to aid in the celebration of the glad time.
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> We all very much desire that the absent member of our family be with us on such an occasion, and, for that reason, I am writing to ask that he may be permitted home the 20th day of May for the wedding, which is to be the 21st day of May.
>
> I fully realize the position in which he is placed, but inasmuch as there are exceptions to all rules, I humbly beg that this may be considered such an exception, and that my request may meet with your approval and prompt consideration.
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> Thanking you for any favor you may be willing to grant, and assuring you the heartiest appreciation of your kindness in our behalf, I am, truly yours, ANNA L. ROME.

WAITER GETS $3 IN WAGES; $25 IN TIPS

NEW YORK, May 21.—How some New York waiters receive $3 a week in wages and from $20 to $25 more a week in tips was revealed here in the Harlem court when John Hoerman said that he was ready to live with his wife and support her if she would stop singing at concerts. Mrs. Hoerman was prosecuting her husband, from whom she had separated. She said that he was continually annoying her by calling at her home, No. 214 East Seventy-second street, and threatening her.

"I am a waiter. My wages are $3 a week, but I average from $20 to $25 more a week in tips," said Hoerman. "I am willing to live with my wife and to support her, but she doesn't need to sing in concerts." Magistrate Herbert turned the matter over to a probation officer.

THEATRICAL MAN SUED FOR DIVORCE

RENO, Nev., May 21.—Suit for divorce has been filed in the District Court by Wilhelmina B. Nolan against her husband, William P. Nolan, a theatrical and musical man of New York city. The complaint is sealed, and sensational developments are looked for at the time of the trial. An order of the court was issued authorizing the taking of a deposition by Almon C. Kellogg at No. 30 Broad street, New York, with certain interrogatories involved of Mrs. Grace A. Jaffrey of New York. Questions relating to Miss Belle Herbert, an actress, were involved in the deposition. Nolan resides in the Carnegie Building, New York. The wife is an attractive young woman, residing here for the past year. Desertion is the ground for the action.

EDWARD CORRIGAN, TURFMAN, "BROKE"

CHICAGO, May 21.—Edward Corrigan, "Master of Hawthorne," and regarded as the most picturesque figure in the history of the American turf, is "broke." Hawthorne Race Track, his most cherished possession, has passed from him. The old man, who has fought his way into more trouble than usually comes to the lot of a mortal, left Chicago a few days ago with $2,000 in his pocket. This money, the practical gift of an old friend and business associate, represents about all that is left of his once great fortune. Broken in spirit after all of these years of fighting, and broken in fortune, he is in Lexington, Ky., at the bedside of his dying wife.

GLACIA CALLA OPENS HER SUMMER HOME

PORTSMOUTH, N. H., May 21.—Glacia Calla has arrived at her home in Lexington, where she will open her summer residence at the Bay Side. She was very much disappointed at the stand taken by Governor Eben S. Draper and Mayor Hibbard in forbidding the "Queen of the Moulin Rouge" production in Boston.

PIERCE FARM MEN SENTENCED MONDAY

The sentencing of Roderick MacKenzie and Murdock MacGregor, the Pierce Farm attendants, who were found guilty of manslaughter in causing the death of Richard Mitchell, has been put over until next Monday.

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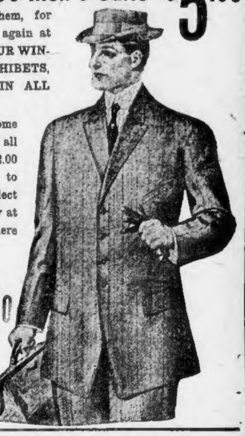
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GUARD CHURCH DURING RITES FOR ROGERS

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the family home at 9:30 o'clock. Behind the casket was the widow of Mr. Rogers. She was followed by Mrs. Broughton and Mrs. Benjamin, daughters of Mr. Rogers, and their husbands. Following them were Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Rogers, Jr., and Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Coe.

The police formed a line to the doorway of the church and held the crowd back while the casket was carried in. The chancel of the church was banked with flowers, and beside this floral bower the casket was placed. Every seat in the church was filled.

The funeral services were simple. The old-fashioned hymns which bring peace were sung. Only relatives and near business associates of the dead man were admitted to the church. At 9:30 o'clock the body was carried from the Rogers residence. The pallbearers were John D. Archbold, William Rockefeller, E. T. Bedford, James A. Moffett, Samuel L. Clemens, E. H. Harriman, Raymond du Puy, E. H. Gary, Melville E. Stone, John D. Ryan, A. G. Paine and General James Jordan.

The Rev. Dr. Robert Collyer conducted the services. The Mendelssohn quartette sang: "Lead Kindly Light," "Abide With Me," and "Nearer My God to Thee."

Thought Ever of "Mother."

In delivering his eulogy Dr. Collyer, who was a lifelong friend of Mr. Rogers, who to overcome by emotion that he had to pause several times, and he seemed on the verge of a breakdown. He said:

"I think I am most sensitive to coarse words—to what we called in my boyhood bad words. I have been searching through my memory to find if I had ever heard one coarse word, one profane word, one unworthy word from him. But I have never heard such a word pass his lips.

"He said to me once, 'I think the memory of my mother awaiting me when I came home is the sweetest of all memories in my life.' I had noticed that he absented himself from service here on certain Sundays of each month and asked him once why he remained away. He said, 'I had to go to Fairhaven to see my mother. I never allow a month to pass without visiting her.' He was essentially a 'mother's boy.'

"I think his memory will grow sweeter among men as years pass on. And the things he has done will never be forgotten."

Immediately following the ceremony the body was carried to the Grand Central Station where a special train was waiting to bear it to Fairhaven, Mass., Mrs. Rogers's birthplace. There the body will lie in state until Saturday afternoon in the Fairhaven Memorial Church which was built by Mr. Rogers.

Last Rites at Fairhaven.

At 2:30 o'clock on Saturday afternoon the last rites will be said. They will be conducted by the Rev. Frank L. Phalen. Then the body will be laid to rest in the Rogers's mausoleum in Riverside Cemetery.

The death of Mr. Rogers has brought to light the fact that, like Mr. Rockefeller and John D. Archbold, Mr. Rogers had a favorite educational institution. The Meadville Theological School of the Unitarian Church, Meadville, Pa., was the recipient of $125,000 under the name of the "Robert Collyer funds." H. H. Rogers was the benefactor and he adopted this means of keeping the matter from the public.

FAIRHAVEN DRAPED FOR BENEFACTOR; RITES TO-MORROW

FAIRHAVEN, May 21.—Over 900 school children pay their last tribute of respect to Henry H. Rogers to-morrow afternoon, when, massed in Cushman Park, they watch the funeral of the town's great benefactor as it passes through the park to Riverside Cemetery.

The girls will be dressed in white and the boys in black. They will be in charge of their schol teachers. Massed behind the pupils will be the four hundred employes of the Atlas Tack Works.

Rogers's body arrived in New Bedford on a special train from New York late this afternoon, the body being taken to the Unitarian Memorial Church by these honorary pallbearers: Walter P. Winsor, George H. Tripp, Joseph K. Nye, John I. Bryant, Job C. Tripp, Frank N. Marsh, George H. Weinouth, Zaphaniah W. Pliense and Dr. C. A. Pratt.

To-night members of the George H. Taber Lodge of Masons will guard the body.

To-morrow the church is open to the public. The school children will be admitted between 10 and 11 o'clock. From 11 o'clock until 1 o'clock the general public will be allowed to view the body.

Business will be suspended from 10 o'clock until 4 in the afternoon. Practically every store and many houses have been draped. All church bells will be tolled as the funeral cortege leaves the church, and will continue pealing out their tribute until the body has been interred.

At 2 o'clock the magnificent set of chimes in the Unitarian Church will begin a program of hymns. The Rev. Frank L. Phalen, pastor of the church, will officiate at the funeral, assisted by the Rev. Dr. Robert Collyer of New York.

The body will be interred in the magnificent white marble mausoleum built several years ago by Mr. Rogers and which contains the body of his mother and his daughter Millicent.

H. H. ROGERS, JR., SUCCEEDS FATHER AS A MONEY KING



This is Henry H. Rogers, the son of the dead oil magnate, who is looked upon as the successor of his father in the world of finance. The young man, he is twenty-nine, had been carefully trained by Mr. Rogers, Sr., to assume great responsibilities, like the management of railroads and commercial organizations. The vast interests of the elder Rogers naturally fall to the son if he is capable of bearing the burden of being at the head of or actively concerned in the success of about twoscore companies. Wall street believes young Rogers will take his father's place, and financiers are expecting him to become another George Gould, who proved remarkable ability as the successor of Jay Gould.

Young Rogers, it is understood, will take his father's place as president and a director of the Amalgamated Copper Company, vice-president and trustee of the Anaconda Copper Mining Company, vice-president and a director of the Standard Oil Company, director in the United States Steel Corporation, Union Pacific Railroad Company, Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe Railway Company, Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul, Guaranty Trust Company, Mutual Life Insurance Company, New York; National Bank of Fairhaven; president and director of National Fuel Gas Company and National Transit Company, president and director of New York Transit Company, and many other companies.

HUSBAND TAKEN TO JAIL BY WIFE

NEWBURYPORT, May 21.—After applying for a warrant against her husband on a charge of non-support, Mrs. A. H. Howard, an attractive young woman of this city, went on a "still hunt" for her better half and located him in one of the principal streets. Going up to him, she said: "Arthur, I want you to go with me." She then took him by the arm and led him to the station house. Going up to the captain she said: "Here is my husband, and I want you to lock him up. I want him arrested for non-support. There is a warrant here for him." Howard made a firm protest, but he was locked up. He was bailed out.

DR. NOYES CHEERED, RETIRING AT TECH

The faculty and student body of the Massachusetts Institute of Technology at Huntington Hall this afternoon bade farewell to their retiring acting president, Dr. Arthur C. Noyes. Resolutions of appreciation of the work that he has done while the administrative head of the greatest American technical school were adopted on behalf of the faculty, and James H. Critchett, president of the senior class, for the students, presented Dr. Noyes with a huge loving cup. Daen Alfred Burton presided, and about 1,200 cheered the retiring executive.

HOW TO DRESS—Mme. Lina Cavalieri, the world's most beautiful woman, devotes a page in the SUNDAY AMERICAN to telling women how to adorn themselves and make themselves attractive.

ROOSEVELT'S REAL PERIL IS AT HAND

By A. J. LAMBERT.

Special Cable to Boston American.

NAIROBI, BRITISH EAST AFRICA, May 21.—Colonel Roosevelt struck camp last night and trekked to Heatley's farm at Comiti. White surveying the surroundings he sighted a horde of a hundred buffaloes. He attempted to secure some specimens but was unsuccessful.

To-day Colonel Roosevelt went out in search of hippopotamus, and it probably will be the most exciting as well as the most hazardous hunt in which he has participated. He will not find these specimens staked out like the lions on Sir Alfred Pease's afrm.

To get them it will be necessary for him to hide in thick papyrus swamps or stalk them in the open country. Either method is attended by great risk.

Seasoned hunters express fear that Kermit's recklessness will prove dangerous. He narrowly escaped a mauling by a leopard a day or two ago, and only the timely intervention of a native saved him. As it was, Kermit escaped with severe scratches and finally killed the beast.

Sunday His Lucky Day.

Sunday continues to be Colonel Roosevelt's luckiest hunting day. Last Sunday, while hunting, he had a narrow escape from a charging rhinoceros. Colonel Roosevelt shot the beast, which plunged into the bush, emerging immediately afterward.

He again charged, and when within fifty feet Colonel Roosevelt killed him. In the afternoon the colonel shot a hippopotamus between the eyes. The animal plunged into the Athi River and was recovered dead, Monday.

Mr. Roosevelt's total kill is sixty-two head of game, comprising nineteen species. Guide Judd declares him the finest hunter in the world.

The former President insists on being photographed with each kill. He is enthusiastic over Judd as a hunter and guide, and declares he will devote a whole chapter in his book to an appreciation of Judd's prowess.

Overanxious to Kill.

When Colonel Roosevelt shot his first lion his enthusiasm was unbounded. He danced for joy and shook hands with every porter within reach. When not occupied in searching for specimens or writing, Mr. Roosevelt spends his time practicing shooting. He shoots with accuracy, but seems over anxious to kill, and fires ten shots when one would be sufficient.

Some antagonism is developing among the missionaries on account of the Sunday hunting. The consensus of opinion of people who have met Colonel Roosevelt is that he is a delightful and interesting personality, but effervescent.

Colonel Roosevelt contemplates paying a flying visit to Nairobi next week as the guest of the Government. The expedition avoids passing through towns for fear of contracting smallpox. While at Nairobi an additional club dinner will be given to the colonel's honor. He will see a theatrical sketch wherein he will be cleverly caricatured.

SPLENDID NEW SERIAL STORY of Intense Interest, "The House Next Door," begins in the SUNDAY AMERICAN. Read it.

MRS. MACLAURIN GOES TO SCOTLAND

Mrs. Alice MacLaurin, wife of President-elect Richard C. MacLaurin of the Massachusetts Institute of Technology, will not be present when her husband is formally inaugurated in June. Her mother is thought to be dying at her home in Scotland, and Mrs. MacLaurin sailed this week from New York for her old home, where she will remain at her mother's bedside awaiting the end. Mrs. MacLaurin was looking forward to being present at the formal inaugural exercises, but the illness of her mother changed all of her plans.

CHILD ATE AN ENTIRE BOX OF CUTICURA

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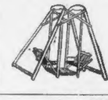
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Duplex Rods, fly or bait	15.00	7.00
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Salmon	1.25	60c
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Including 1 six-strip split bamboo rod, cork butt, nickel reel seat, 1 multiplying nickel reel, 25 yards silk line, 25 yards linen line, ½ doz. trout flies, our bass spoon hook, 1 gut leader, 1 float, 1½ dozen gut snell hooks. Bought separately the outfit would cost $5.

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8.—Lonesome.
9.—Beautiful eyes.
10.—It's hard to kiss your sweetheart when the last kiss means good-bye.
11.—Somebody ought to tell her husband.
12.—Pony Boy.
13.—Childhood.
14.—Meet me in rosetime, Rosie.
15.—It's pretty soft for me. (Latest by writer of "I wish I had a girl.")
16.—Schoolmates.
17.—Roses bring dreams of you.
18.—I remember you.
19.—Sadie Salome.
20.—Old Glory and G. A. R.
21.—Good luck, Mary.
22.—We won't go home until morning.
23.—When the robin sings again.
24.—You are the one I love.
25.—On a monkey honeymoon.
26.—I love my wife, but oh! you kid!
27.—Baseball, game of love.
28.—Tell me the old, old story.
29.—I've got to make love to somebody.
30.—Nobody knows, nobody cares.
31.—Sunbonnet Sue.
32.—That's the story the rose told to me.
33.—I'm tired of living without you.
34.—Since Cohan wrote "Mary was a grand old name."
35.—Whirling over the ball-room floor. **(Awarded 1st prize at Orpheum Theatre Contest.)**
36.—Sweetheart's a pretty name when it's Y-O-U.
37.—Shine on harvest moon.
38.—I wish I had a girl.
39.—Denver town. (New).
40.—Ivy and the oak.
41.—Stingy Kid.
42.—Nobody knows where John Brown went.
43.—Consolation. (Instrumental).
44.—Jane Cable march.
45.—Scented roses waltz.
46.—Kerry Mill's barn dance.
47.—College yell. (Trio with words).
48.—Fifth Mass. march.
49.—Five little brown jugs rag.
50.—Poison ivy rag. (Latest).

Saturday Specials in Women's and Misses' Suits

We are offering values that no other store in Boston will duplicate. The Reason! Henry Siegel Co. is one of a chain of four stores—hence it has the purchasing power of four stores. Compare these values with other stores and verify this. All Specials in this advertisement are for Saturday selling.

Misses' Pongee Coats

Stylish graceful coat, 47 inches long, semi-fitting, flat collar, smartly finished with silk soutache braid and jet buttons, this is just the coat for summer wear. (Like cut.) Value $18.50 ..... $12.50

Girls' White Dresses

White Persian lawn dress, full plaited skirt with 4-in. hem and 6-tuck yoke and panel front of eyelet embroidery and Val. lace; dainty dress, easy to launder, buttoned from neck to hem. Value $4.98. $3.50

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Exceptional values in the season's latest styles. Materials are black and white check, shadow striped worsteds, satin stripe prunella. 2 and 3 piece suits, in all the new hipless effects and plain tailored coats, guaranteed linings of satin and peau de cygne. Skirts all the new and latest models. Values $22.50, $25.00 and $27.50. While they last......... $16.00



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Misses' Suits, in fine English serge, striped panama and worsteds. Coat plain tailored, 36-inch style, guaranteed lining inlaid collar of black satin. Skirt in new flare style, finished with buttons, also semi-dress coat with flat collar and silk ties. Skirt flare model, smartly finished with folds (like cut). Values $16.75, $18.50, $19.90 . $12.50

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Stylish little coats of red and blue paca cloth, slightly fitted in back, notch collar of inlaid black bengaline silk, double breasted, finished with bone buttons. (Like cut). Value $7.50 .... $3.98

Misses' Skirts

Made from manufacturer's overstock of fine novelties and striped worsteds, fashioned in the new and correct flare style, straight panel front with new side plaited panels, finished with 3-in. fold; all the latest shades. Sizes 34 in. to 38. Value $7.50......... $5.00

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Boys' $4 Double-Breasted Suits, with two pairs of pants, one knicker and one straight, in fine woolen materials in grays and browns, ages 8 to 17 years; Russian and sailor styles in blue and brown serges, fancy worsteds and all Scotches, ages 2½ to 10 years......... $2.85



$2.85

Boys' $5 Blue Serge Suits, double-breasted styles, in fast color, serge suits double-breasted styles; pants lined, all cut very stylish; color guaranteed fast; 9 to 17 years. $3.45

$7.50 Suits and Reefers, double-breasted Suits, serges, worsteds, Scotches, in stripe, checks and plain colors, double-breasted and Norfolk styles, 8 to 17 years; sailor, military and Russian styles, 3 to 10 years, in all the new shades and all-wool materials; reefers 3 to 12 years, in covert cloths, serges and fancy cheviots, the newest cut coats, made on same lines as men wear. Choice of either Suit or Reefer......... $4.95

Boys' Suits, value $10, in fine pure worsteds and Scotches, double-breasted style, every new cut coat, all the newest styled knicker pants, 8 to 17 years.... $6.45

Boys' Suits, value $12, style and fit equal to tailor-made exclusive styles; hand-tailored; fit equal to finest tailor-made $7.45

Boys' Wash Blouses, stripes and checks, 8 to 16 years, 49c 75c 98c $1.45

Boys' Pants, serges, corduroys and Scotches, 4 to 17 years, 49c 69c 79c 58c $1.45

Boys' Hats in straws and fancy patterns, 49c to $1.45

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CLERKS HARD HIT IN STOCK FIRM CRASH

The failure of Sederquist, Barry & Co., of No. 19 Congress street, hit the brokers' clerks and other young business men who were wont to take a "flier" in the market very hard, and doleful tales of no vacation money were related in many offices to-day.

While no statement as to the assets has been made, it is rumored that between $400,000 and $500,000 has disappeared, and it is being asked in all quarters: "Who has it?"

It was said to-day by one who is in close touch with the various brokerage houses of Boston that the failed firm had something like 4,500 customers on their books. These live not only in Boston, but in eighteen other cities of New England where the firm had branch offices.

Figuring that each one came in for an average loss of $100 each, the sum would total the nearly half a million. Many of those who had been trading with the firm did not learn until late yesterday that it had gone under, and many mournful faces were found at the offices to-day.

The backing of the house, it was said to-day, was mainly by a rich man in the northwest who has been gradually reducing his investments for some time.

What makes many of the patrons particularly sore is that they had a tip something like a month ago to look out for trouble. They continued their faith in the concern, however, and now they are basing their hopes on what Receiver Weed may be able to get out of the crash.

Edward F. Cram, doing business in Boston as E. F. Cram & Company, stock brokers, and who suspended yesterday as the result of the Sederquist, Barry & Company failure, was to-day petitioned into involuntary bankruptcy. The petitioners and the amounts they claim are: John W. Gillis, $200; Edward A. Andrews, $500; Benjamin Selheim, $250. These creditors are all Boston men and claim the amounts named as due them on open accounts.

FOUR CHILDREN DIE BY LAMP EXPLOSION

TORONTO, May 21.—The four children of Ernest Oldfield, a harnessmaker in the northern suburbs of the city, were burned to death as the result of the explosion of a lamp in the house.

CHAUFFEUR HELD IN BOY'S DEATH CASE

Before Judge Wentworth in the Somerville Police Court to-day Arthur Russell of Salem, chauffeur of the automobile that ran down Richard J. Calnan of No. 74 Franklin street, Somerville, yesterday and injured him so badly that he died last night at the Somerville Hospital, was arraigned to-day on the charge of manslaughter, pleaded not guilty and was held in the sum of $3,000 for his appearance in court on Monday next.

Young Calnan and a playmate by the name of Joseph Harrington were riding bicycles on the Fellsway East last night and when near the corner of Broadway the automobile driven by Russell turned into the Fellsway and, before the brakes could be applied to the machine, it ran into young Calnan, knocking him down and passing over his body. His bicycle was demolished.

In the automobile at the time were William H. Gove, the owner, a prominent lawyer, his wife, daughter and daughter-in-law.

ERROR IN BOTTOMLEY PAPAL HONOR RUMOR

ROME, May 21.—The report that Mrs. John T. Bottomley of Boston is to receive the title of Countess from the Pope is erroneous, at least as far as the present or the near future is concerned, although she is most strongly recommended and favorably known at the Vatican. The report arose, according to Vatican authorities, from her being proposed for some distinction, together with the presentation of Archbishop O'Connell. The authorities point out that such titles are conferred on women only in the rarest cases and in recognition of exceptional services to the church or to humanity.

TASKS THA TSHORTEN WORKERS' LIVES—Showing how tremendous nerve strain breaks down workers and kills them. Read it in the SUNDAY AMERICAN.

GOULD CHILDREN MERE PAWNS IN DIVORCE FIGHT OF PARENTS



Helen Margaret and Dorothy Gould.

NEW YORK, May 21.—Imagine the home life of little Helen Margaret Gould and Dorothy Gould. They are heirs to millions, but will they ever be happy as children should be? Just because their father, Frank J. Gould, has been divorced by their mother, Mrs. Helen Margaret Kelly Gould, the two little girls have been made mere human pawns.

Justice Gerard of the New York Supreme Court, after granting the divorce, divided up the time of the children this way: From December to April inclusive, each year, the mother is to have the little girls; from May to November inclusive they are to be with their father.

Switch to Other Parent.

Then every other week-end the little little girls are to be in the company of that parent who is deprived of their custody for the six months' division of their time.

Now just think of the kind of a Merry Christmas these millionaire children are to have! Next Christmas Mrs. Gould is to have her daughters from 4 p. m. Christmas eve until noon Christmas day. Then they go to their father from noon until 10 o'clock the following morning. On Christmas, 1910, this splitting up of the day is to be reversed; and so on.

The court orders that Mrs. Gould shall have her children for four consecutive days to be selected by her out of the first fifteen days in June, and four consecutive days to be chosen by her out of the last fifteen days in September.

Restricted on Trips.

Here is another order: Between September 15 in each year and the following June 15 neither father nor mother may remove their children to a greater distances from the city of New York than 100 miles without the written consent of the other.

Frank Gould is ordered to educate the little girls, but Mrs. Gould is to select the school they are to attend. In this she is hampered, for she must select a school out of a list of ten which Mr. Gould is to make. The school must be within 300 miles of New York.

Then the court chooses the doctor for the little girls. Dr. William R. Anderson is the man.

Was there ever such home life provided for children before? And then, too, they are heirs to millions.

FIREMEN FIGHT 'ON HOSE WAGON

Following a pitched battle waged on a hose wagon in view of 500 people at Atlantic avenue and State street, it is likely that action will be taken to-day by Fire Department officials against the participants, Hoseman James M. Burke of Engine 4, Baldwin street, and Frank L. Lyons of Engine 38-39, Congress street. The fight took place while the apparatus was waiting to return to quarters after answering an alarm.

Chief Mullen caused the arrest of Burke. The trouble between Burke and Lyons is said to have been started by a quarrel between Lyons and a younger brother of Burke.

CHARGES FRAUD; SEEKS MILLION

Claiming the estate of her husband, Warren Sherburne, who died at Lexington, April 24, 1907, should have been valued at around $3,000,000, instead of the executors' valuation of $750,000, Mrs. Mary E. Sherburne of New York has entered a bill in equity in the Middlesex Superior Civil Court against the executors, who are Frank S. Sherburne, Warren R. Sherburne, Reuben B. Sherburne and Mary F. Valentine, all of Lexington. They are all children by his first wife and heirs-at-law.

ROGERS' DEATH MAY LINK ALL U. S. RAILWAYS

WASHINGTON, May 21.—That the financial power of Standard Oil will be further consolidated in important ways as the result of Henry H. Rogers' death is the opinion entertained to Washington.

What will become of the Virginia Railway property, opened only a few weeks before Mr. Rogers death, is a question in which the whole State of Virginia is deeply concerned.

The Virginia railway was commonly referred to a Standard Oil railroad, and there was talk that it would require a Chicago connection, thence a connection with the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul to the Pacific coast, making a through Standard Oil road from coast to coast. Yet the Virginia railway was a personal affair of Rogers.

The passing of Rogers, public men say, may bring some development which will tend toward the solution of the mystery of Harriman. It used to be accepted without question that Harriman was a Rockefeller agent for Standard Oil interests. Lately there has been doubt about this hypothesis and Harriman has been rated as having a much greater power of free agency than was once credited to him. There was a time when Harriman as decidedly subordinate to Rogers; but in recent years he has become independent of and apparently more strongly backed than Rogers.

The recent stories which have gained increasing acceptation in Washington, of complete harmony between Hill and Harriman and of the cooperation by Hill, Harriman and Rockefeller in a number of directions, have led to the impression that a few more years of opportunity for these giant operators will bring to pass a practical unification of all the great railroad interests of the country.

WIFE IN BATTLE WITH DETECTIVES

Alleging that his young wife is too fond of liquor and that she has been unfaithful, Henry W. Keefe is making a bitter contest of her suit for divorce before Judge Wait in the divorce court. Mrs. Keefe alleges desertion. Her husband has filed a cross libel.

Alphonse G. Williams's evidence in the case bordered on melodrama. Williams says he is a detective and testified to engaging a room at the South End where Mrs. Keefe lodged. He said he and George Ramsdell, who assisted him, trailed Mrs. Keefe to a saloon in the North End and watched her come in with Deculde Petitti, Mr. Keefe, he said, was there, too, and the trio crept noiselessly downstairs in the dark and he and Ramsdell door slipped in on Mrs. Keefe.

He testified that Mrs. Keefe joined in the battle royal that ensued, clawing at him, and that Petitti came to her aid with an umbrella. Then Ramsdell, he said, entered the fight with a brass suit case and bowled Petitti over, when the two sleuths bolted for the door. There was another battle in the entry, and the glass of the front door was broken.

Henry W. Keefe, the husband, said they were married November 1, 1898, and testified that his wife drank excessively, once drank some poison and once threw a lamp at him.

WHO OWNS RED PIGEON?

A red carrier pigeon that had evidently come from a long distance fell at the feet of Patrolman Furbish of the Cambridge Police Department while he was passing through the grounds of the public library to-day. On the leg of the pigeon was a silver band bearing the inscription "1906, No. 3,674." The bird was very thin and in an exhausted condition when picked up by the officer.

SHUMWAY RE-ELECTED.

Franklin P. Shumway was re-elected president of the Amphion Club, the leading musical organization of Melrose, at a meeting held at his house.

Business Notice.

CASTORIA
For Infants and Children.
The Kind You Have Always Bought
Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher

WOMEN LOSE MILLIONS IN STOCK GAMBLE

NEW YORK, May 21.—How women are lured to lose thousands and even millions in Wall street was revealed to-day by Mrs. M. Challenger, the stock trader accused by E. G. Benedict, receiver for the bankrupt brokerage firm of Tracy & Co., of backing a win up to the concern's branch and taking away everything movable except the carpet.

"There were nine suppers for the women of long as they were winning," she declared, "and they did not walk home unless they wanted to. They were a flashy bunch, too, some widows and some with husbands, and every one of them seemed to expect she was going to become a millionaire in a minute. All women were all plungers. There wasn't even a 'plunger' in the lot. But some of those poor innocents certainly were the limit. It goes without saying they went away broke. One woman with $50,000 to her credit was wiped out by letting a flyer play the market for her. But what do you think the broker cared? Nothing, for they got the commission.

"Women are poor gamblers, for the most part. You expect 1,000 per cent on the investment. Like all others, the crowd which traded with Tracy & Co. came from the world looking rosy. Generally speaking they went away looking through glasses.

"If a great game if you succeed in beating it, but it's a pretty sure thing that you lose. When you put your money down in a marginal transaction you might as well say there goes' unless you are heavily margined and well secured."

LYNN BLOCK FIRED; HUNT INCENDIARY

Fire, said by the police to be of incendiary origin, early to-day destroyed the three-story wooden building Nos. 10 and 14 Central avenue, Lynn, in the heart of the business section of the city.

The flames menaced many big business blocks, but were held in check after a hard battle by firemen called on two alarms.

A man, who was seen about 100 yards away from the building but a few minutes before the fire was discovered, is thought by the police to have been the incendiary. He is being hunted to-day by State detectives and the Lynn police.

The fire started on the second floor, directly over the jewelry store of Nathan Mendlow.

Patrolman Joseph M. Finnegan discovered the fire. He was on his way down Central avenue from the Postoffice when he passed a suspicious looking man, who crossed the street as the officer approached and disappeared down Oxford street. At almost the same time Flanagan heard the automatic alarm ringing a short distance down the street.

Mendlow, who conducted a stationery store and a jewelry store on the ground floor, places his damage at $15,000. The other losses are: On building, $10,000; Lynn Printing Company, second floor, $2,000; Rogers Stitching School, and Swain Company on third floor, $1,600 and $2,500 respectively.

At a time like this, when the weather is changing from one extreme to another, throat and lung troubles prevail, and unless checked are likely to last all Summer.

It is important to keep the strength built up and the system fortified against disease.

Nourishment of the right kind is required, and is found in that faithful old remedy, Father John's Medicine, which has been doing such good work for more than fifty years in the cure of throat and lung troubles, such as colds, bronchitis, etc., and also in repairing the waste made by consumption.

Father John's Medicine is guaranteed, and does not contain alcohol or poisonous drugs.

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Saturday Bargains



Chisen's Guimpes made of fine lawn suspender style, finish with tucks, sizes 6 to 14 years, value 39c, at..... 25c

Infants' White Islin Bonnets of all-over embroidry, daintily trimmed with rosesa of ribbon and wide ties, a value 35c, at..... 19c

Girls' $5.00 Dresses $2.98

Girls' White Dresses, made of extra good lawn, yokes of lace insertion, skirt finished with two rows of lace to match, ribbon trimmed, sizes 6 to 14 years, value $5.00 ..... 2.98

Girls' $5.98 Coats $2.98

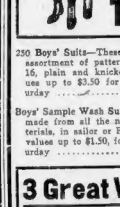
Girls' Coats of all wool fancy mixtures, Pan Cloth and Pongees, smartly trimmed with silk braid, inlaid collars of silk, cut full, box back, sizes 2 to 14 years, values to $5.98 ..... 2.98

Girls' Wash Dresses, guimpe or high neck styles, neatly trimmed with washable braid, pleated skirts, sizes 6 to 14 years, value $1.00, at 79c

Girls' White Dresses, made of fine quality lawn, Bertha ruffle, oval yokes of lace insertion, rosettes of ribbon and beading, full skirts, value $3.00, at.... 1.98

Children's Bloomer Suits, plain colors or stripes, neatly made, sizes 2 to 4 years, value 75c, at..... 49c

Children's White Dresses, French and yoke styles of dotted swiss and fine lawns, daintily trimmed with embroidery, ribbon and hemstitched tucks, sizes 1 to 14 years, value $1.25, at.... 69c



Boys' $3.00 Suits $1.49

150 Boys' Two-Piece Suits, sizes 9 to 16 years, plain and knicker pants, fine assortment of mixtures, values up to $3.00, choice for Saturday, 1.49



Boys' Wash Suits 49c

Boys' Wash Suits, sailor or Russian styles, sizes 3 to 10, fine assortment of patterns. We offer a limited number for Saturday, 49c

250 Boys' Suits—These come in fine assortment of patterns, sizes 7 to 16, plain and knicker pants, values up to $3.50 for Saturday 1.98

Boys' Knickerbocker Suits, in a fine assortment of mixtures and some blue serges, sizes 7 to 16, pants all lined, taped seam, for Saturday 2.95

Boys' Sample Wash Suits—These are made from all the new wash materials, in sailor or Russian styles, values up to $1.50, for Saturday 89c

50 Dozen Boys' Straw Hats, all this season's newest styles and shapes. Values up to $1.00. Special 49c

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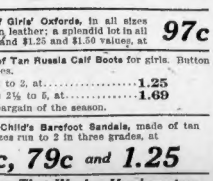
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PRIMA DONNA "POPS," WINNING A HUSBAND AND EUROPEAN TRIP

Restaurant Dinner Leads to Proposal and New York Broker's Quick Wedding.

NEW YORK, May 21.—"I am sailing tomorrow for Europe; why don't you go, too?"

This was the question that William Armstrong Lane, known familiarly among his friends at the New York Club as "Billy," put to Mlle. Amelia Mary Kate Soudain (that was the marriage license name, at all events), known to the operatic world as Camille Seygard, who sang at the Metropolitan a few years ago under the management of the Damrosch-Ellis Company.

The couple were dining together at a restaurant on the eve of Mr. Lane's departure for a three months' trip abroad, and it was more in the spirit of jest than earnest that he made the remark.

"City Hall For Us."

The pretty woman smiled, tossed her head and with her glass raised as if for a toast, she replied, "I'll go if I go as Mrs. Billy Lane."

"Do you mean it?" Mr. Lane flashed back.

"Surely."

"All right. To-morrow the City Hall for us, and we'll sail on Wednesday."

And so it came about that, at 1 o'clock Tuesday morning, Mr. Lane, who is a member of the firm of Moore & Schley, bankers and brokers, at No. 80 Broadway, and Mlle. Soudain took a taxicab to the City Hall, where a license was procured.

Immediately a civil marriage was performed by Alderman James J. Smith. The ceremony was witnessed by H. P. Chilton, another member of the firm of Moore & Schley, and by William H. Long of the City Hall staff.

Nothing else has been talked about at the New York Club, for the bridegroom had long been looked upon as a confirmed bachelor. Few knew that he had been married in his early life and was a widower.

Divorced from a Basso.

With the marriage license was filed, according to the demands of the law, the divorce papers in the suit which Mrs. Lane brought in 1902 against the man who was then her husband, the famous basso, Emil Fischer. The couple were married in Yorkton, England, in 1890, but were divorced on April 26, 1902, in Patchogue, Long Island. Judge Wilmot Smith signed the decree which gave Madame Fischer permission to marry again, but denied that right to the man.

Mrs. Lane in the marriage license gives her age as thirty-six, and Mr. Lane acknowledges that he is fifty-six. He is the son of John Green Lane of Rappahannock, Va. Mrs. Lane says that she was born in Paris and that she is the daughter of Valentine Seygard.

The bridegroom is a member of the Metropolitan Club of this city and of Washington, as well as of the New York Club.

Mrs. Lane's Career.

Mrs. Lane studied in Paris and made her debut in opera in 1888 at Zerlina in Mozart's "Don Giovanni." She was the original Charlotte in Massenet's "Werther." Her best roles were Carmen, in Bizet's opera, and Rosina, in Rossini's "Barber of Seville."

There was great secrecy about her divorces at the time the suit was brought. Mme. Seygard accused her husband of wrongdoing, mentioning Paola Wiehnig, another singer of less renown, she alleged that her husband had been so devoted to the woman during the Fall of 1901 that her suspicions had been aroused.

Late in January, she alleged, she returned from a concert tour unexpectedly and went to her home without having previously announced her coming. Her maid, Susan Acker, was with her. When she got inside her apartments she found that her boudoir was locked. She knocked on the door and her husband answered that she could not come in. But she had a passkey and she used it, whereupon she brought her suit for divorce. Fischer is still living.

Mr. and Mrs. Lane will remain abroad until the latter part of August and will return to reside in this city.



Mlle. Camille Seygard.

ARE TEHRE NO WIVES IN HEAVEN?—Every reader of the Bible, every believer in a hereafter, should read this article in the SUNDAY AMERICAN.

ASTOR FINDS GAS IN PEAT

NEW YORK, May 21.—Colonel John Jacob Astor, who has invented among other things a bicycle brake, a pneumatic road improver and a marine turbine, has devised a producer of peat gas. The patent on this, which is pending, is to be given by Colonel Astor to the public, as he did with his marine turbine.

Colonel Astor's burner will make commercially available deposits of peat and other near low grade stuffs, which it has been found impossible hitherto to use as fuels. The use to which the vibrator designated by Colonel Astor can be put is to supply gas for farmers to use in driving farm machinery by gas engines. The peat residue can be used for fertilizer.

MAURETANIA'S NEW RECORD

NEW YORK, May 21.—The Cunard liner Mauretania, which reached port to-day after establishing a new world's record of four days sixteen hours and fifty-three minutes for the long westward passage, thirteen minutes better than the previous record, brought back enough millionaires to represent half a billion dollars of vested property. The liner also made an average hourly speed of 25.62 knots as against 25.55, her former record.

There were ten millionaires in the liner's first cabin suites and a number of them were "multis." The ten were Henry C. Frick, the steel man of New York and Pittsburg; P. A. B. Widener, the traction magnate of Philadelphia; his son, George D. Widener and Mrs. Widener; Harry Widener and Miss E. E. Widener; Colonel E. C. Benedict and his daughter, Mrs. Clifford H. Harmon; Colonel Robert M. Thomson, Hildreth K. Bloodgood and his daughter, Miss Vera G. Bloodgood, Mrs. Henry O. Havemeyer, wife of the sugar man; Rhinelander Waldo, former deputy commissioner, and former State Senator William H. Reynolds, the real estate man.

Mr. Frick, who was the subject of threats by the Anarchist Henry Bergman, had his bodyguard, called a valet, who is six feet and built accordingly, with him, and the guard prevented down the gangplank at the Cunard pier.

Clifford S. Harmon, Colonel Benedict's son-in-law, met the Mauretania down the bay on the latter's yacht, Oneida, after a fast trip from Pittsfield, Mass., when he had landed from a balloon.

DR. HUTCHISON IS PLACED IN ASYLUM

Dr. Percy A. Hutchison, the Harvard instructor, who disappeared from the New England Sanatorium Monday night, has returned and is now lodged at Waverly.

He walked into the office of his counsel, Edmund A. Whitman, in the Pemberton building.

He first asked how his mother and wife were, and said he had come back fearing they might worry about him.

He was unable to tell clearly where he had been, but said that he had been in good hands.

Mr. Whitman immediately communicated with members of his family and they soon arrived at the office.

Steps were at once taken to have Dr. Hutchison take rest at Waverly and he went there without objection.

MRS. C. D. GIBSON'S HAT CAUGHT FIRE

NEW YORK, May 21.—Mrs. Charles Dana Gibson had a narrow escape from injury at the lawn fete on Lenox Library Field. Mrs. Gibson was at the booth where smokers' supplies are sold. A cigar lighter in full flame, unnoticeable in the daylight, came in contact with the plumes of Mrs. Gibson's hat. In a moment the handsome plumes were ablaze, and had it not been for Mrs. Joseph Stevens, Mrs. Gibson would have been the loser of more than a fine ostrich plume. Mrs. Stevens beat out the flames with her hands.

SAD MUSIC DROVE MAN TO SUICIDE

NEW YORK, May 21.—The rear room of the Harlem Cafe, at No. 2,351 Eighth avenue, was fairly well crowded with men and women when a man lurched through the swinging doors and blew out his brains at one of the small round tables.

He bowed his head and wept when the little orchestra played "The Heart Bowed Down." Before the last strains died away he drew a revolver and shot himself in the right temple.

The suicide was Emile Le Clair. He had been out of work many months, and the song of sorrow seemed a fitting close.

MISS OSBORNE TO WED LONDON MAN

Mrs. W. McKinley Osborne, widow of the late Police Commissioner of Boston and former United States Consul-General at London, has issued invitations for the marriage of her daughter, Marguerite, to E. Cecil N. Bonsor in London. The ceremony will take place June 9 at St. Peter's Church, Eaton square. A reception will be held after the wedding at No. 18 Queens Gate. The father of the bride-elect, William McKinley Osborne, was a cousin of the late President McKinley.

WHAT IS GOING ON IN BOSTON TO-NIGHT

Anniversary Ball, American Order Scottish Clans Intervocional Hall.

Concert by pupils of I. Jane Cole School, Hemingway Chambers.

Reception by Boston Nurses' Club, Vendome.

Banquet Deutscher Verein at Harvard Harvard Union.

Piano recital by Miss. F. Granger-Smith, Steinert Hall.

Carolyn Fore Flanders' entertainmen., Potter Hall.

Reception to Rt. Rev. J. G. Anderson, St. Paul's Church, Dorchester.

Dance of the "Cabriolets." Warren Hall, Brighton.

May Party of Division 50, A. O. H., Roxbury.

Dance of Epworth Social Club, East Boston.

Annual meeting National Guard Association, South Armory.

Dramatic recital by George Kiernan, Whitney Hall, Hoosilton.

Entertainment by Aleppo Temple, Mystic Shrine, Mechanics' building.

Concert for Lettish Church, Emmanuel Church, Emerald street.

Mission Church cantata, St. Alphonsus Hall, Roxbury.

A. O. H. auxiliary May party, Greenleaf Hall, Dedham.

Dance of Tremont Improvement Association, Catholic Union Hall.

Graduation, Plumbing School, North End Union.

Whist, Mizpah Lodge, A. S. Somerville.

Free Grammar School alumni reunion, French's Opera House, Hyde Park.

BABY 'GOO GOO' HALTS DIVORCE

NEW YORK, May 21.—A frail, anaemic woman in the Flatbush Court charged her husband, Wilfred Wadsworth, with non-support and abandonment. In her arms she held a pretty blue-eyed, fair-haired baby girl, who pointed a tiny finger at her father, and during the hearing made ineffectual attempts to grasp his hair.

"Now, little blue eyes," said Magistrate Higginbotham, after listening to the greater portion of the testimony, "I'm going to let you be papa's judge, and if you do not kiss him and show that you want him back I'll send him to Blackwell's Island for six months. Come now, I'll sign my name to whatever decision you reach."

The baby goo-goo'ed and, putting her little arms around the mother's neck, hid her head from the Court's view.

Up to this time the father had remained obdurate and indifferent. Magistrate Higginbotham, irritated by the coldness of the prisoner toward the child, left the bench and coming down to the child, said to the father:

"Now, Wadsworth, don't you think that you will die happier in the knowledge that your two children love you, instead of dreading to hear your name? Come, don't be obstinate, and don't be a fool, or I'll send you to jail."

The man slowly held out his arms, and the baby, after a moment's hesitation, went to the father.

SPLENDID NEW SERIAL STORY of intense interest, "The House Next Door," begins in the SUNDAY AMERICAN. Read it.

FIND HOME OF BIBLICAL KING

LONDON, May 21.—Professor Flinders Petrie, in giving an account of the work of the British School of Archaeology, says the great result of this year at Memphis has been the discovery of the palace of King Apries, the Pharaoh Hophra of the Bible, who was a contemporary of Jeremiah, B. C. 629-588. Hitherto no palace has been known in Egypt beyond the tower of Medinet Habu and some remains of a rather earlier date.

Following are the details of the palace: Length, 400 feet, very impressive; breadth, 200 feet; middle court, 100 feet square; painted columns 40 feet high; seven stone-lined walls 15 feet thick. The approach to the palace led up through a large mass of buildings to a platform at a height of about sixty feet above the plain.

In the ruins a scale armor, hitherto rarely found in Egypt, was discovered. Good bronze figures of gods were also found. What Professor Petrie described as the one supreme piece was a fitting of a polisquin of solid silver, a pound in weight, decorated with a bust of Hathor with a gold face of the finest workmanship of the time of Apries the Great. Walls indicated other buildings beneath the old palace.

MAY PARTY IN DEDHAM.

A May party and dance will be held this evening in Greenleaf Hall, Dedham, under the auspices of Ladies' Auxiliary, Division No. 4, A. O. H. Miss Alice Holey will have charge of the floor and will be assisted by Miss Katherine Starr and Miss Josephine McNamara.

Nearly everybody in Boston reads the AMERICAN.

ACTRESS FINDS IT HOPELESS TASK TO RECOVER BIG LOAN



MARY MANNERING

DROPS HER SUIT AGAINST ACTOR

NEW YORK, May 21.—Miss Mary Mannering, the actress, has dropped her suit against James K. Hackett, her former husband, to recover $50,000 alleged to have been loaned.

The case has been in the courts for a long time, and the withdrawal comes as a surprise to the friends of the couple. The suit came up before Justice Gay in the Supreme Court, but when it was called for argument there was no one to answer, and accordingly it was dropped from the calendar.

The motion was dropped, it was explained, because Miss Mannering did not consider it worth the paper it was written on, as her former husband had gone through bankruptcy since the suit was begun.

WOMAN EVER YOUNG IS DEAD, AGED 105

NEW YORK, May 21.—Mrs. Yetta Schulman, said by her relatives to be 105 years old, died at her home, No. 131 Madison street. The aged woman was born in Russia, and came to this country nine years ago. Thirteen children and twenty-five grandchildren survive her. It was her belief that the lives of aged persons could be prolonged if they associated much with young people, and she spent the greater part of her time in the company of little ones, playing with them out of doors whenever the weather would permit. Mrs. Schulman never wore glasses.

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There's where he handed us a knockout—because we couldn't do justice to all who came—and we freely admitted it. When you prepare for a far bigger crowd than you really expect, and about twice the sized crowd of your expectations swoops down upon you, you've simply got to grin and bear it.

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All the excellence of materials and workmanship—all the distinction in style and appearance—all the perfection of fit and wear—for which you'd expect to pay $30 to $35—all for the small sum of $22. Think of it!

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50c Silk Knit Ties 36c

Made from pure silk yarns in a number of smart plain colorings. Selling special at 36c.

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"In an advertisement in the Nashville 'Banner' I read that Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey was recommended for Tuberculosis or Consumption. I began to take it in dessertspoonful doses four or five times a day, and a tablespoonful at bedtime. I am now strong and well. Cough, distress in my chest, and the indigestion are gone. My appetite is good; I sleep well. This is all due to Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey, which I regard as an unfailing cure of consumption if taken in time."—Mrs. Nettie Carter, Elkton, Ky.

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James & Conley Manager.

CHICAGO CUBS AND DOVES IN SECOND GAME

BOSTON AMERICAN SPORTS

RED SOX MEN AFTER REVENGE ON WHITE SOX

DICK HYLAND TO SLACK UP IN TRAINING

SAN FRANCISCO, May 21.—Dick Hyland is making the weight so easily that Manager Perkins intends to have him slacken off his work so as not to be at the fighting notch too far in advance of the date of the contest. On Sunday Hyland will do his last road work, but no change will be made so far as the gymnasium schedule is concerned.

Hyland had his usual jaunt along the Alameda highway to-day and in the afternoon he worked indoors. He wrestled with his brother Jack, punched the small bag and had a session with the sandbag. He boxed three rounds with Jimmy Foley and four with Billy McDonald. He weighed 136 pounds after his rubdown.

Nelson seems to have experienced a change of view as to the probable length of the fight. When he arrived in San Francisco he told some of his cronies that he would dispose of Hyland in six rounds. When he was informed yesterday that a local sport stood ready to bet several hundred at even money that Hyland would last twenty-five rounds Nelson remarked that he was not looking for a bet of that kind. He said he would make a modest wager that Hyland would not be on deck after the thirty-third round.

Nelson was on the road yesterday and later took a crack at his favorite game, roko, and then went in for an hour's work in the gymnasium. As usual he boxed with Dick Wheeler and Jeff Perry. It was given out that Nelson weighed 136 pounds.

YALE CREW LEAVES FOR QUARTERS JUNE 9

NEW HAVEN, Ct., May 21.—The Yale varsity crew will leave for New London on June 9. The crew is going a little later this year than usual, but the race with Harvard will not be held until July 1, which is later than heretofore by five or six days. The present order of the crew in rowing is as follows: Wallace, stroke; Van Blarcom, 7; Howe, 6; Baker, 5; Hyde, 4; Wodell, 3; Glenny, 2, Rice, bow. Yale is using the English shell in all practice, and will undoubtedly row the race in it, according to the rowing officials, but not with English rigging.

BOULTES SENT BACK BY ROCHESTER CLUB

Pitcher Jake Boultes returned to town to-day with a can attached to his person. A few days ago he was sold to the Rochester Club of the Eastern League, but Rochester found it had more players than the Eastern League laws allow, so he was shipped back to the Doves.

Boultes pitched one game for Rochester and lost it, but through no fault of his. Bowerman may give him a chance now that his other pitchers are going so unevenly.

N. E. COLLEGE ATHLETES IN TRIAL HEATS

TECH FIELD, Brookline, May 21.—Preliminary trials for the New England Intercollegiate track championship began this afternoon at 3 o'clock. More than 300 separate entries had been received and the meet promised to furnish some close and exciting contests.

It was figured that records for the pole vault and high jump would go by the board if the two Dartmouth stars who have already excelled these marks were in condition to repeat their performances of last week. The other records in possible danger of collapse are the marks for the one mile and two mile runs and the shotput.

There seemed to be no chance of heading off Dartmouth for first place. Bowdoin had a good chance of getting second again, but had their hands full in disposing of Williams, Amherst, Brown and Tech.

The track was vastly improved during the Fall and Spring and was in tip-top shape. New jumping and vaulting standards were put in and other improvements made. Large tents were erected for the accommodation of the athletes and extra bleachers to take care of the crowd.

To-day's program included trials in all events except the one and two-mile runs, which will be run off to-morrow without any preliminary heats.

KETCHEL AND PAPKE MATCHED FOR JULY 5

SAN FRANCISCO, May 21.—Manager James Coffroth, the fight promoter, announced to-day that he had been successful in arranging a fight between Stanley Ketchel and Billy Papke at Colma on July 5.

Coffroth telegraphs to Willus Britt, manager of Ketchel, that he would give the men a percentage, with a guarantee for Ketchel, win, lose or draw. Britt accepted by wire to-day.

The men will meet at middleweight, and the articles will be drawn up as soon as Papke arrives here from Los Angeles.

N. E. A. A. U. CHAMPS TO BE HELD JUNE 12

The New England amateur track championships will be held early this year, as the date is June 12 at Tech Field, and for that reason should draw a big field of athletes. There are fourteen events on the card, the regulation A. A. U. bill, which are open to all registered athletes.

Gold medals emblematic of the championship of New England will be given to winners in each event, silver medals to seconds and bronze medals to thirds. The entrance fee is $1 per man in each event. Entries close Monday, June 7, with J. Frank Facey, 36 Prospect street, Cambridge.

THE PAINTING THAT SHOCKS PITTSBURG and what may be done with it is told in the SUNDAY AMERICAN.

Notes of the Doves' Game

Six defeats in a row.

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Another blow-up of a twirler. This time it was "Vic" Lindaman.

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Umpire Klem cleared the Cubs' bench right near the start of the fray. Joe Stanley and Frank Chance were the only ones left.

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Moran hit in nice form, getting three safe ones out of four times up.

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Becker made a star play in the seventh inning, when he ran clear from rightfield to the first base bleachers to get Pfeister's foul.

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Bates entered the error column for the first time in many a games by making a wild throw to the plate in that awful eighth inning.

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Lindaman, with two hits out of three trials, copped the batting honors among the Doves.

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Beaumont had a bad day at the swatting session. He did not make a hit and struck out twice.

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There is a goodly number of celebrities among the baseball writers with the Cubs. Hughie Fullerton, Gilruth and Lardner are the big smokes.

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Sheckard drew free passes to first the first three times he trotted to the plate.

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The Doves started in fine style, getting hits off Pfeister in the first three innings. Mr. Pfeister tightened up and allowed but three more during the game.

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Evers made a rank error, but not a costly one, in the sixth inning. He seemed to have so much time to retire Ritchey that he went very slowly and made a very wide throw.

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A free base, a hit and a sacrifice scored the Doves' first run. Tally No. 2 was produced by a pair of safeties and an infield out. It requires too much paper to tell how the Cubs' runs were scored. They resulted from good, hard wallops in most instances.

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Dahlen and Bates scored the Doves' runs.

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Hofman and Tinker made the only doubles of the game.

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Pretty fast play. Nine rounds in one hour and thirty minutes.

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Pfeister fanned two out of the three Doves who faced him in the fourth inning.

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Umpires Klem and Kane have replaced O'Day and Emslie, and that helps some.

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That gives the Doves a firmer grip on last place.

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It looked like the Doves had a chance to win until the eighth inning.

ANDERSON AFTER JOE HANSON'S SCALP

To-morrow night's bout at the Columbia will be by far the most interesting of the three arranged for this week. It will exceed the other bouts in speed and aggressiveness. Sam Anderson, who is out to retrieve himself, is determined to get the scalp of Joe Hanson, and has trained faithfully for this event. He put up a game struggle against Hanson a few weeks ago at the Columbia, but somehow did not show the staying qualities he is noted for. By consistent work with Cyclone Burns and some local mat artists, Anderson has again brought himself to the pink of condition, and those who go to the Columbia to-morrow evening will see Anderson at his very best. Hanson arrived in town early this morning and feels confident of again humbling the Norwood man. He will put in his time in one of the local gymnasiums so that Anderson will not take him unawares tomorrow night.

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BASEBALL RESULTS IN OTHER LEAGUES

American Association.

St. Paul, 2; Louisville, 0.
Toledo, 12; Kansas City, 8.
Columbus, 6; Milwaukee, 2.
Minneapolis, 5; Indianapolis, 0.

Southern League.

At Mobile—Birmingham, 3; Mobile, 2.
At Little Rock—Little Rock, 6; Montgomery, 2.
At Memphis—Memphis-Atlanta (wet grounds).

South Atlantic League.

Chattanooga-Charleston postponed, rain.
Columbus, 2; Macon, 0.
Jacksonville, 4; Augusta, 2.
Columbia, 5; Savannah, 2.

CONTRACTS AND RELEASES APPROVED

NEW YORK, May 21.—Acting President Heydler of the National League has announced approval of the following contract and releases:

Contract—With Philadelphia, B. H. Van Dyke.

Releases—By Boston to Rochester (E. L.), Jake J. Boultes; by Chicago to New Orleans (S. L.), Charles O. Fraser; by Cincinnati (unconditionally), H. S. Sincock, to Columbus (A. A.), W. J. Moriarty; by Pittsburg to Milwaukee (A. A.), Charles Wacker.

GOLF AT WOODLAND.

An open amateur golf tournament will be held by the Woodland Golf Club of Auburndale, beginning Thursday, May 27, and ending Saturday, May 29. On the first day the qualifying round, eighteen holes, will be played. Match play in three divisions will be the card for the following day, and then on Saturday handicap bogey competition will be the attraction. Entries close May 26.

COMIC OPERA MARRIAGE CUSTOMS IN CHINA—Sir Robert Hart writes for the SUNDAY AMERICAN. A COOK BOOK FOR THE POOR—In the SUNDAY AMERICAN will be found information on this subject that is invaluable.

Baseball News and Notes

Calls from churches in Portland, Ore., should prove attractive. The clubs there are going to give ministers season passes.

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Hughey Jennings is at his old trick of pulling up the grass around the coachers' boxes. Hughey must belong to a garden seed trust.

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Guess Danny Murphy isn't showing up the youngsters. Many claimed that it was time for the great player to descend, but he is hitting at a .386 clip, and Conie Mack is smiling.

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Elmer Flick has no intention of trying to play for some time. "I may don a uniform now and then," says Elmer, "for the exercise will probably do me good."

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Even this early it looks like another close race in the National League. The entire field is almost bunched and any day may make a difference of a length or two.

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Schmidt, the Yankee twirler, is built exactly like the "Cy" Young of to-day. His face is not quite as round as that of the veteran, but his shape seems to correspond to that of "Cy" to an inch.

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Anybody could tell that Lennox of Brooklyn is having his first year in the fast set, for he tried to take a punch at Kid Gleason.

"Doc" Marshall, late of the Cubs, leads the league in mileage. Ever since the surgeon broke into baseball he has been doing a marathon from one city to another.

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Times may change but not Claude Elliott, one-time pitcher with Cincinnati and New York. He opened a general store in Pardeeville, where checker champions hail from. In the olden days Claude had everything in his repertory. It's the same to-day, Claude serving everything from sorghum to a thrashing machine.

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Fred Liese, former Cub recruit, is one of the greatest pitchers in the American Association. He has a record of four won and one lost with the St. Paul team, the tailenders of the league.

Down in St. Louis the fans declare that unless McAleer's men learn to hit spit ball pitching the Browns will not have a chance at the pennant. The idea prevails that they will not have a chance whether they do or do not hit the spitters.

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Fred Clarke, manager of the Pirates, is set down as one of the winners on the Patten wheat corner. Pittsburg fans declare he cleared $8,000. He made almost as much money for Barney Dreyfus, his boss, when he grabbed Abstein, his recruit first sacker.

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It is a well-known fact that the Pittsburg team is a splendid roadster. The Pirates have in the past shown themselves capable of doing better work away from home than they have before local audiences. In the light of past records in the east it is practically assured that they will make a good showing.

Several nationalties are represented on the Boston American League team—McConnell, Stahl, Chech, Cicotte and Arellanes.

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George Stone of the St. Louis Browns usually starts the season poorly and then makes all of his hits later on. He is showing a reversal of form this year.

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Big Bill Kay, the slugger who led the American League in 1907, is now in Albany. Like Criss, he could slug, but was lost in the field.

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They have an umpire named Murray, weighing 120 pounds, in the Connecticut League. He has grit though and doesn't allow any browbeating.

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Jiggs Donahue is the champ billiard ball player. His win over Jimmy McAleer gives him that honor.

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Manush of Montgomery has not proved fast enough for the Southern League, and rumor has it he will hit the toboggan. And to think that Connie Mack sent him a nice, clean, fresh contract.

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Its getting to be a great stunt taking out insurance policies on crack ball players; that way you get a chance either way, and incidentally the insurance agent has a new field opened to him.

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Notice the umps—You must not return a push with the shoulder with a swat on the jaw; you are likely to get in bad if you do.

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George Stone, the crack left fielder and hitter, was literally carried out of baseball, and the doctors say he cannot reenter the game for about two weeks. In the opening game with the Athletics "Silent" George wrenched his ankle in a close play at first. He tried in vain to walk, and his comrades bore him to the clubhouse.

COLLEGE AND SCHOOL SCHEDULE

COLLEGE.

Dartmouth vs. Williams, at Hanover.
Cornell vs. Carlisle, at Carlisle.
Vermont vs. Massachusetts State, at Burlington, Vt.

SCHOOL.

Andover vs. Pennsylvania Freshmen, at Andover.
Commercial High vs. West Roxbury High, at West Roxbury.
Winthrop High vs. Revere High at Winthrop (league).
Hyde Park High vs. Watertown High, at Hyde Park.
Mechanic Arts High vs. East Boston High, at East Boston.
Milton High vs. Quincy High, at Milton.
Ware High vs. Chicopee High, at Ware.
Hingham High vs. Weymouth High, at Weymouth (league).
Reading High vs. Roxbury, at Reading.
Rockland High vs. Abington High, at Rockland.
Holy Cross Preparatory vs. South High, at Worcester.
Brockton High vs. Cambridge Latin, at Brockton.
Lowell High vs. Lawrence High, at Lowell (Merrimac Valley League).
Amesbury High vs. Perley Free School, at Georgetown.
Worcester High vs. Athol High, at Worcester.
West Springfield High vs. Holyoke High, at West Springfield.
Foxcroft Academy vs. Patten Academy at Dover, Me.
Kents Hill Seminary vs. Dean Academy, at Kent's Hill, Me.
Rutland High vs. Middlebury High, at Middlebury, Vt.
Randolph High vs. Whitman High, at Randolph.

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HOW THE CLUBS STAND.

	W.	L.	P.C.		W.	L.	P.C.
Pittsb'g.	18	11	.621	Cin'nati.	15	17	.469
Chicago.	18	13	.581	New York	12	14	.462
Phil'phia	14	12	.538	St. Louis	14	18	.437
Brooklyn	13	14	.481	BOSTON	11	16	.407

TO-DAY'S GAMES.

Chicago at Boston.
Pittsburg at New York.
St. Louis at Philadelphia.
Cincinnati at Brooklyn.

YESTERDAY'S GAMES.

		R.	H.	E.
Chicago	0 1 0 1 0 0 0 4 0	6	8	1
Doves	1 0 0 0 0 1 0 0 0	2	6	3

Batteries—Pfeister and Moran; Lindaman and Bowerman.

		R.	H.	E.
St. Louis	1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0	1	8	1
Phillies	0 0 4 0 0 1 0 0 x	5	10	2

Batteries—Rhoades and Bresnahan; Moren and Dooin.

		R.	H.	E.
Cincinnati	1 0 0 0 0 0 1 0 0	2	9	2
Brooklyn	0 0 2 0 0 0 0 1 x	3	7	2

Batteries—Gasper and McLean; McIntyre and Berger.

		R.	H.	E.
Pittsburg	0 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 0	1	8	2
New York	1 0 0 0 1 0 0 0 x	2	5	0

Batteries—Camnitz and Gibson; Raymond and Schlei.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

HOW THE CLUBS STAND.

	Won.	Lost.	P.C.		Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Detroit.	18	9	.667	Chicago.	12	16	.429
BOSTON	16	10	.615	St. Louis	11	15	.423
New Y'k	16	10	.615	Cleveland	10	17	.370
P'd'phia	15	10	.600	Wash'gt'n	7	18	.280

TO-DAY'S GAMES.

Boston at Chicago.
New York at St. Louis.
Washington at Cleveland.
Philadelphia at Detroit.

YESTERDAY'S GAMES.

		R.	H.	E.
Chicago	0 0 1 2 0 1 0 8 x	12	15	1
Red Sox	0 2 1 0 0 0 0 0 0	3	7	8

Batteries—Morgan, Chech, Carrigan; Smith, Owens.

		R.	H.	E.
Washington	0 0 0 2 0 0 0 0 0 0 1	3	7	0
Cleveland	1 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0	2	9	1

Batteries—Johnson and Street; Joss and Easterly.

		R.	H.	E.
Detroit	3 0 0 0 0 2 0 0 x	5	8	1
Athletics	0 0 0 1 2 0 0 0 0	3	9	0

Batteries—Plank and Thomas; Mullin and Stannage.

		R.	H.	E.
St. Louis	0 0 0 0 0 0 2 0 x	2	5	2
New York	0 0 0 0 1 0 0 0 0	1	5	2

Batteries—Brockett and Blair; Waddell and Stephens.

N. E. LEAGUE

HOW THE CLUBS STAND.

	Won.	Lost.	P.C.		Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Lynn	13	7	.650	Brockton	11	10	.524
Fall River	13	8	.619	New Bedf'd	8	12	.400
Worcester	13	8	.619	Lawrence	7	14	.333
Haverhill	12	9	.571	Lowell	6	15	.286

TODAY'S GAMES.

Lawrence at Lowell.
Worcester at Brockton.
Lynn at Fall River.
Haverhill at New Bedford.

YESTERDAY'S GAME.

		R.	H.	E.
Fall River	3 0 0 0 2 1 1 0 x	7	12	0
Haverhill	0 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 1	2	7	1

Batteries—Martell, Perkins and Lessard; Wood, L. Wood and Toomey.

		R.	H.	E.
Lowell	0 0 0 0 0 0 1 0 0 0 1	2	8	2
Brockton	0 0 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 0	1	4	2

Batteries—Cutting and McGovern; Whitridge and Huston.

		R.	H.	E.
Worcester	1 0 0 0 0 2 0 3 x	6	8	2
Lawrence	0 0 0 2 0 0 0 0 0	2	6	1

Batteries—Knitzer and Lee; Owens and Rondeau.

		R.	H.	E.
Lynn	2 0 0 0 0 0 0 8 4	14	11	1
New Bedford	0 0 0 1 1 0 0 0 0	2	9	7

Batteries—Abbott and Daum; Armstrong and Ulrich.

EASTERN LEAGUE.

HOW THE CLUBS STAND.

	W.	L.	P.C.		W.	L.	P.C.
Rochester.	10	5	.667	Jersey City	10	10	.500
Toronto	12	7	.632	Newark	7	11	.389
Montreal.	10	7	.588	Baltimore.	7	12	.368
Buffalo	12	11	.522	Providence	6	11	.353

TO-DAY'S GAMES.

Newark at Toronto.
Jersey City at Rochester.
Providence at Buffalo.

YESTERDAY'S GAMES.

		r.	h.	e.
Providence	1 0 0 0 0 1 0 1 0	3	7	7
Toronto	2 0 0 0 0 3 2 1 x	8	14	2

Batteries—Cronin and Peterson; Kellogg and Mitchell.

		r.	h.	e.
Baltimore	1 0 0 0 0 0 0 2 0	3	3	2
Rochester	0 0 0 0 0 0 0 5 x	5	12	2

Batteries—Dessau and Byers; Barger and Erwin.

		r.	h.	e.
Newark	0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 0	1	6	0
Buffalo	0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0	0	6	4

Batteries—Flater and Krichell; Kissinger and Ryan.

		r.	h.	e.
Jersey City	0 0 3 1 0 0 0 0 0	4	6	0
Montreal	0 0 0 0 0 0 1 1 0	2	9	1

Batteries—Ford and Spohr; Keefe and Clark.

CONN. LEAGUE.

HOW THE CLUBS STAND.

	W.	L.	P.C.		W.	L.	P.C.
Hartford	12	8	.600	New Haven	9	11	.450
N. Britain	10	8	.556	Holyoke	8	10	.444
Springfield	9	9	.500	Waterbury	8	10	.444
Bridgeport	9	10	.474	N'thampton	5	12	.294

TO-DAY'S GAMES.

Northampton at Waterbury.
Holyoke at Bridgeport.

YESTERDAY'S GAMES.

New Haven, 6; Holyoke, 4.
Bridgeport, 6; New Britain, 5.
Springfield, 8; Northampton, 5.
Waterbury, 5; Hartford, 1.

COLLEGE AND SCHOOL RESULTS

Navy, 5; Walbrook, 1.
Holy Cross, 4; Wesleyan, 1.
Harvard 2d, 8; Holy Cross 2d, 7.
Newton High, 3; Melrose High, 2.
English High, 4; Concord School, 2.
St. Johns Prep., 10; Swampscott High, 4.
Stone, 7; Browne & Nichols, 2.
Everett High, 28; Ballou & Hobigand, 4.

BATTING AVERAGES OF BOSTON BALL PLAYERS

NATIONAL.

	ab.	r.	bh.	2b.	3b.	hr.	ave.
Chapelle	7	1	3	0	0	1	.429
Starr	56	4	21	0	0	0	.375
Beaumont	93	9	33	6	2	0	.358
Bates	108	14	33	7	3	0	.306
Lindaman	7	0	2	0	0	0	.286
Sweeney	94	9	26	6	0	0	.278
Dahlen	87	12	22	6	0	1	.253
Ferguson	18	2	4	1	0	0	.222
White	5	1	1	0	0	0	.200
Tuckey	5	0	1	0	0	0	.200
Beck	97	7	19	0	0	0	.196
Graham	21	1	4	0	0	0	.190
Mattern	16	2	3	0	0	0	.187
Becker	100	13	18	2	2	0	.180
Dorner	6	1	1	0	0	0	.167
Stem	19	0	3	0	0	0	.158
Bowerman	50	2	7	0	0	0	.140
Smith	44	3	6	1	0	0	.136
Ritchey	47	1	5	0	1	0	.106
McCarthy	8	0	0	0	0	0	.000
Totals	888	82	212	29	8	2	.219

AMERICAN.

	ab.	r.	bh.	2b.	3b.	hr.	ave.
Wolter	5	0	3	0	0	0	.600
Hooper	50	9	18	1	1	0	.360
Speaker	96	16	34	7	4	0	.354
Burchell	3	0	1	0	0	0	.333
Carrigan	43	3	14	0	1	0	.326
Steele	10	1	3	0	0	0	.300
Cicotte	10	3	3	0	0	0	.300
Niles	72	9	21	2	1	0	.292
Lord	93	13	24	1	1	0	.258
Gessler	66	10	17	6	0	0	.258
Donohue	4	0	1	0	0	0	.250
Wagner	81	12	20	4	1	0	.247
Arellanes	13	1	3	0	0	0	.235
Stahl	78	12	17	3	3	0	.227
McConnell	96	17	22	1	2	0	.177
Danzig	13	0	2	0	0	0	.154
Spencer	43	2	5	0	0	0	.116
Thoney	10	0	1	0	0	0	.100
Morgan	15	0	1	1	0	0	.067
Chech	22	1	1	0	0	0	.050
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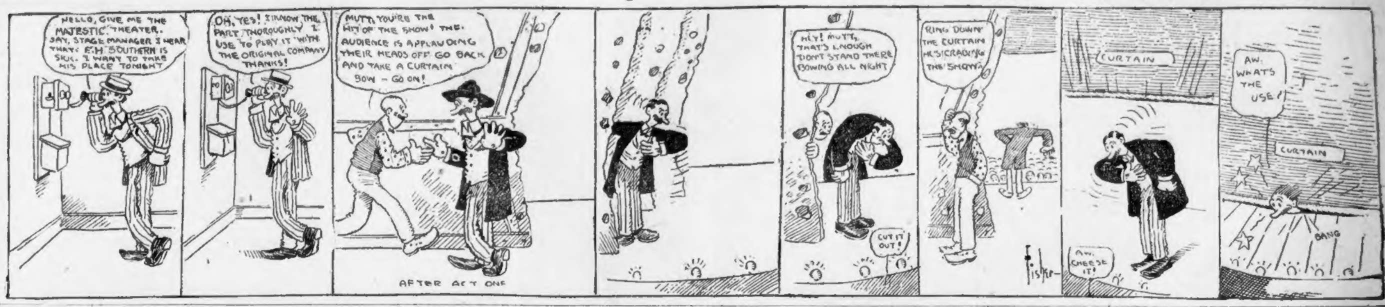
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BLACK CHAMP QUITS WHEN HE GETS A PUNCH

By IGOE.

NEW YORK, May 21.—It seems as though they never will get through talking of the stand game Jack O'Brien made against the black champion of the world.

O'Brien made as great a hit with his home admirers as he did in Gotham when he fought that rattling good fight against Stanley Ketchel. Johnson has taken an awful tumble in the estimation of every fan in the country. And it is his own fault. He deserves little sympathy. He knew that he had to face a man who has no equal in getting over the six-round route. Knowing this, he came into the ring in a fat condition, and this was the cause of his blowing up before the first good rally had been fought.

But, whether in condition or not, it was very evident that Johnson is no match for O'Brien in straightaway boxing. He can hit harder, of course, and it was the only thing that saved him from a disgraceful hiding at the hands of a man two classes below him in point of weight.

O'Brien's performance was startling, to say the least. That he could go out and carry the fight into the enemy's camp proved that he is not lacking in heart. He made Johnson back away and block—the very thing that he promised not to do in O'Brien's case.

Johnson will never fight any other kind of fight, you can depend upon that. The minute that he gets a rap he curls, and no amount of energy on the part of his opponent can make him come out and do an honest round's fighting.

Billy Brady edged up to the ring after the fight and said:

"Johnson, will you box Kaufman twenty rounds for $10,000 a side?"

Johnson leaned over the ropes and replied:

"Yes, I'll fight Kaufman, but not twenty rounds, Mr. Brady. I'll fight him here in Philadelphia for six rounds, and bet him $1,000 a round, and leave it to the papers. Say the word now, if you represent Kaufman, and I'll postpone my trip to London three weeks in order to accommodate you or Mr. Kaufman."

Brady wouldn't listen to such a proposition. Johnson would manage to win about four or five of these $1,000 round bets, besides a slice from the club that would land the match. The men came to no understanding.

Jack O'Brien wants to fight Ketchel—wants the six rounds, he says. He thinks that it would be a repetition of the first six rounds of the last fight, and that would draw a banner house. Nothing has been done about a meeting.

The report that the house had equalled the McGovern-Nelson fight for money is a little bit exaggerated. Instead of a $23,000 house it was more like $18,000, and that's not hearsay. O'Brien got a little over $8,000, instead of the reported $12,000. But it was royal pay for eighteen minutes' "nuttering about" with the gloves.

FERGUSON MAY FIGHT ON COAST

After Sandy Ferguson cleans up some of the American heavyweights abroad—if he does—he is likely to take a quick trip to the coast when he arrives back in this country, as Jim Coffroths has made him an offer to fight either Al Kaufman or Jack Johnson some time this Summer.

Ferguson is likely to sidetrack any matches with Sam Langford on the other side and stick strictly to men in his class. He can gain nothing by fighting Langford, and there are few who will take a chance with the Boston demon middleweight. There is a chance of meeting Kaufman in San Francisco on July 5, as it is an open date at Coffroth's club, and he wants a heavyweight match then if he can secure one with any class in it.

STURGIS BUYS TROTTER.

The Jap, 2:14¼, has been purchased by M. E. Sturgis, the man who at one time owned the champion pacer, Dan Patch, 1:55¼, and who sold him to his present owner, M. W. Savage of Minneapolis for $60,000.

Results of Boxing Bouts

WATERBURY, Ct., May 21.—The bout between Bunny Ford of New Haven and Sailor Collins of this city was stopped in the fourth, when it became evident that the local boy was in no condition to cope with his opponent. In the first Collins did fine work, and appeared to have a shade on Ford, but it later proved that the visitor was only trying him out.

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MEMPHIS, Tenn., May 21.—The scheduled eight-round bout between Mike Donovan and Tony Caponi was abandoned, owing to the announcement from the Memphis Athletic Club that all boxing contests would be temporarily suspended, pending the location of a larger arena, to be built on the open-air plan.

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JOHNSTOWN, Pa., May 21.—Jock Phenicie was pitted against Johnny Coulon of Chicago, and made a creditable showing against the champion of his class. Throughout the fight Phenicie was the whole show, except here and there, Coulon managed to land a few blows.

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LOWELL, May 21.—George Lucroft of Lowell and Tom Sawyer of Portland, Me., did not spar at the Gladstone A. C. tonight. The reason given for their refusal to go on was that the attendance did not warrant their appearance. Martin Flaherty and Young O'Hare of Lowell were substituted for them and gave an exhibition of sparring for six rounds. In the semi-finals Young Callahan and Young Welsh of Lowell boxed four rounds to a draw.

BOXING BITS OF NEWS

Tommy Murphy and Willie Moody have agreed to make 130 pounds at 6 o'clock for their six-round go next Saturday night at the National Club of Philadelphia.

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Papke is back at his old tricks again, polishing them off in a round. When first starting out in the game Papke made a great reputation knocking his opponents out in a round or two.

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The big benefit for Jem Mace in London on Derby Day will be a big affair and enough is expected to be realized from the show to give Mace a weekly allowance for the rest of his declining days. Jem is now in the seventies.

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Digger Stanley and Jimmy Walsh fight a twenty-round go in a preliminary to the Langford-Hague bout, which takes place on May 24 before the National Club of London. There will be two ten-round bouts, sixty rounds of boxing in all.

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Heine Rafael, manager of Johnny Frayne and Frankie Neil, has been offered the position to manage a boxing club in Wilkesbarre. The game will be quiet around New York this summer and Rafael will likely accept the offer.

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Abe Attell, accompanied by his wife and Al Lippe, will sail for London on June 9. Hugh McIntosh, who is now in London, promised Attell that he would match him with Jimmy Britt in case he failed to land Jeff and Johnson. Harry Lewis, the Philadelphia middleweight, will also be in the party.

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Lewis thinks the boys on the other side will be soft for him since Willie Lewis has been taking them into camp with surprising regularity. Al Lippe will look after his affairs in Europe and will look for a match with Willie Lewis in Paris.

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Ed. Papke, brother and manager of Billy, has asked for a match in New York. Papke claims the middleweight championship, now that Ketchel has gone out of his class meeting heavyweights, but Papke is most desirous of taking Ketchel on in a ten-round bout in the East.

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What chance will there be for a Johnson-Ketchel fight if Ketchel fights Langford first and if Sam lives up to his rep.? Few give Ketchel a chance with the colored middleweight, but there is $5,000 posted as a forfeit which is to go as a side bet with Johnson, so whatever happens in the Langford go the forfeit will hold the other match good.

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Abe Attell has sent a long letter of instructions to his brother Monte, who meets Johnny Coulon at Coffroth's club in a twenty-five round bout in June. Abe will send a hunk of dough out to bet on the go and thinks Monte should have little trouble beating the Chicago crack, although the weight, 115 pounds, is a wee bit too low for him. If the boys box clean break and Attell is strong at the weight he should beat Coulon without any trouble.

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The proposed match between Tommy Murphy and Johnny Frayne has been put back a week, and the boys will come together at the East Avenue Athletic Club, New York, a week from Saturday night. Both men asked for the postponement, wishing the extra time to get in proper shape for the bout. Murphy fights Willie Moody at the National Club of Philadelphia Saturday night.

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Tony Caponi, the Italian middleweight, has fired his manager. Some dark night Tony will be looking up his old side partner and begging to be given another chance. Fighters without managers are about as successful as street cars without conductors.

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R. F. Roller is lying dangerously ill at Kansas City, suffering from ptomaine poison. So alarmed were the physicians attending the big athlete that they telegraphed to his wife at Seattle to hasten to his bedside. Dr. Roller's matches have all been cancelled.

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Jim Coffroth is trying to beat Tom McCarey to a match in which Sam Langford will appear with either Ketchel or Papke. Jim has offered Papke $10,000 and Langford $5,000 if they will box forty-five rounds on July 5. Papke has not yet declared himself and is waiting to see what Langford says about the match first.

SHRUBB WINS 20-MILE RACE FROM ST. YVES

MONTREAL, May 21.—Alfred Shrubb, the English middle-distance crack, furnished a surprise in his 20-mile race with Henri St. Yves of France by defeating the Marathon champion by 680 yards in the fast time of 1h. 54m. 25s.

Shrubb was always in front. In the first 20 yards he jumped into a lead, which he steadily increased, until at the end of the 7th mile he had gained a lap on his opponent, a lap on the course laid out on the grass for runners being equal to 5-16 of a mile.

After running side by side with St. Yves through the 8th mile, Shrubb again started to sprint away, and, gaining steadily, was at the end of the 12th mile just a lap and a half in front. The Englishman added a few yards to this lead in the 13th, 14th and 15th miles, but in the 16th he began to lose slightly, St. Yves at the end having won back about a quarter of a lap of the lap and a half that he had lost.

SEARS BUYS CHASE FOR SPEEDWAY RACES

FALL RIVER, May 21.—The regular matinees of the local driving club will begin next Saturday, and will be continued every two weeks throughout the Summer. As a number of horses new to the track here will be seen this year the races promise to be of more than ordinary interest. Chauncey H. Sears has secured a speedy one in Chase, a trotter with a mark of 2:07¼, which he has brought here from Boston. This horse has been a half-mile on the Boston Speedway in one minute. David T. Wilcox has bought Helen G., a pacer, and will be out for some of the ribbons with her. George F. Comstock has secured the trotter, Major Greer, from New Bedford. William Hataaway, superintendent of the Barnard mill, is negotiating for a fast trotter and expects to land it.

BOOST FOR RED SOX FROM CLEVELAND

A Cleveland newspaper has the following to say of the two clubs now leading in the race:

Many followers of baseball who have seen both Detroit and Boston in action this year believe that these two teams, now in the lead in the American League race, will be the ones to fight it out in the stretch.

At present Detroit has nothing on the Red Sox, either in batting, fielding or pitching. Many, however, question the ability of the youngsters on Manager Lake's team to keep the pace in a long, gruelling race with the tried veterans on the Tigers' outfit.

There is no doubt that now the Red Sox are showing more speed than any team in the league.

WORCESTER BOYS IN BIG SCHOOL MEET

Worcester Academy, which won the new England interscholastic track championships, will send a formidable team to the Yale interscholastic meet at New Haven to-morrow. As entries are expected from Mercersberg, St. Pauls and Lawrenceville it will be no easy matter for the Worcester boys to duplicate their feat of last Saturday in the Stadium.

WHY COBB SLUMPED.

It was illness that interfered with Cobb's sight and caused his slump in batting.

The star outfielder has not been feeling well since the season opened. He contracted a cold which improved, but still his condition was not right.

The Georgian followed medical advice, but without success, as far as his sight was concerned. He felt considerably worse in St. Louis at the end of last week, and on his return to Detroit he interviewed Dr. William E. Keane, Tiger physician. The M. D. examined "Ty" and discovered that the trouble existed in the liver. He gave him a few bottles of medicine and a box or two of capsules.

NEW MANAGER FOR LOWELL BASEBALL CLUB

When the Lowell Baseball Club of the New England League went on the field this afternoon for its game with Lawrence, it was under new management.

Tom Bannon, of the famous Bannon baseball family of Lynn, took charge of the team this morning, replacing Manager Fleming, who has been at the helm since the season started.

Lowell is in last place in the league and President Winn figured that the team would do better under a new manager, so he closed a deal last night over the long distance telephone with the Lynn man, and the change went into effect this morning.

Bannon is well known in baseball circles, having been captain of the Brockton team last season and before that was in charge of the Lynn aggregation. He will play right field, and it is said that a general shake-up of the club will soon follow his advent.

A. G. SPALDING & BROS. OPEN BOSTON STORE

Ball players and all those interested in athletics will be pleased to learn that the well-known athletic goods house of A. G. Spalding & Brothers has opened a store at No. 141 Federal street. The Boston store is situated where it will be most convenient for patrons, and the retail department will be in charge of A. G. Lockwood, the well-known golf player.

Albert G. and J. Walter Spalding began business March 1, 1876, at Chicago, under the firm name of A. G. Spalding & Brother. Two years later their brother-in-law, William T. Brown, came into the business, and the firm name was then changed to A. G. Spalding & Brothers.

The business was founded on the athletic reputation of A. G. Spalding, who acquired a national prominence in the realm of sport as captain pitcher of the Forest Citys of Rockford, Ill. (1865-70), and the original Boston Baseball Club (champions of the United States, 1871-75) and the Chicago Ball Club (1876-77). He was also one of the original organizers of the National League.

HAMBURG BELLE IS JOHN MADDEN'S STAR

DETROIT, May 21.—W. J. Ambrose is at the race track here with the small but select stable belonging to John E. Madden. Most interest centers in Hamburg Belle, 2:04¾, and Brighton, 2:27¼. The first-named is bigger and stronger than she was last year and is as sound as a dollar. She gave her knee a rap last season, but there is nothing wrong now. On the half-mile track at Washington she worked in 2:28, and Andrews says that he will be disappointed if she does not lower the non-wind shield record of Lou Dillon this year. He believes she is the fastest trotter in training to-day.

Brighton is a big, strong fellow. Andrews say he drove this own brother of Sillko a mile last fall in 2:12, half in 1:03¾, and a quarter in 29¾ seconds. He does not think there is one in the M. and M. that has anything on this chap in manners, speed or endurance.

MAY SWAP M'INTIRE FOR ED. REULBACH

CHICAGO, May 21.—There is a deal pending between the Chicago and Brooklyn clubs of the National League whereby big Ed. Reulbach may be traded for Pitcher McIntire. Reulbach's great handicap is wildness, but when he puts them over he is a most effective pitcher.

TO PLAY THE PILGRIMS.

Franklin Field fans are to be treated to a lively entertainment to-morrow afternoon when the strong North Dorchester A. A. team is to cross bats with the crack Pilgrim Class nine. The time, 3 p. m. The place, diamond No. 13. The batteries, Gustavson and Heald for the Pilgrims, Kenney and Downey for the North Dorchesters.

PAPKE WON'T BOX LANGFORD

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., May 21.—There is little likelihood of Billy Papke and Sam Langford clashing in a battle. Though Papke has not refused to take on the colored wonder of the middleweight class, he intimates that he still holds to the color line. Coffroth and Ed Papke, Billy's brother, had a long conference to-day, in which the Coast promoter offered Papke $10,000 for his end to fight Langford. James said he would give the colored fighter a guarantee of $5,000.

Billy Papke's brother hesitated when the question of fighting Langford was put to him. Then he spoke. "The offer to take on Langford comes rather sudden, and I do not feel disposed to give you an answer just now. I would, however, consider a match with Ketchel."

There is a great likelihood of a Ketchel-Papke bout, for scarcely had the announcement gone out that Papke defeated Kelly than a wire was received here from Ketchel declaring his willingness to give Papke another chance at the title. Ketchel agrees to do 158 pounds for the Illinois fighter.

A hitch may arise when Ketchel begins his talk for money. In his wire here he intimates that the purse must be $10,000 to $15,000. He has a number of engagements on hand. There is a likelihood of his being matched with Tommy Ryan in New York in the near future.

The fact that Coffroth has set the date for July 5 makes many think that the promoter is going to cancel the engagement for Battling Nelson on that date, unless the latter comes to time. Nelson is going ahead with his training, however, and did some brisk work with Mike (Twin) Sullivan yesterday.

Hugo Kelly will start to-day for his home trip to Chicago. He has become a trifle more cheerful with the lapse of time since his defeat, and is now reconsidering his opinion on retiring.

ARTHUR COTE BOXES TONIGHT

The boxing entertainment at the Faneuil A. C. for to-night is the best that the club manager has yet provided for the members. Every bout should be a corker. Jimmy McCarthy, who demonstrated rare class last week in his initial performance at the club, will face the hardest proposition in New England at the present time. Arthur Cote, who is to meet him, has trained faithfully in Saco, Me., for this bout. In addition to the star bout of ten rounds there will be two preliminaries of six rounds each. Jackie Williams of Cambridge will clash with Fred Chisholm of Everett in the semi-final, and Henry Myers of Charlestown and Danny Murray of Roxbury will start the fun for the members.

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The Manicure Lady

She Has a Pretty Taste in English and Laments Dolores' Diction

"GEORGE," said the Manicure Lady, "I'm not so keen for my profession. I'm getting less keen every day. The girls which is disciples of our art are falling further and further into careless ways, such as bad grammar and all that sort of thing."

"Well," said the Head Barber, "what about it?"

"Oh, nothing," replied the Manicure Lady. "The thought only came to me to-day when I got a letter from Dolores



Shall it be—"I will not take No," or "I will only take Yes."

Dale, which used to revamp nails in one of the swellest shops in this whole town."

"Dolores always impressed me like a intellectual girl until I got this letter. Goodness knows, George, she had enough chance to pick up a little knowledge, being all the time in touch with them swell college boys that used to come into the shop to have their nails did.

"Listen to the letter:

Dear Old Grayce—I have thought of you often, here in this quaint little Maine village. I used to think of your friend, Vera, too, but somehow it seems that within the last few months a coolness has sprung up between her and me.

I love this coast. I love the breakers that roar along the beach. I love the violet of the sunset. I love the majesty of the eternal ocean. I love the tall larch trees, the mewing of the strange sea birds and the purple twilight that usher night o'er Maine.

I wish you were here with me, because I have always felt, somehow, that you and I were kindred souls. Can't you come up here for a month during the hot weather? I will not take No for an answer. Yours,

DOLORES.

"That sounds like a mighty swell letter to me," said the Head Barber.

"That shows your mental speed, George," said the Manicure Lady. "I ain't a bit surprised in the world that a common barber should fail to grasp all them little flaws which mars the King's English.

"I ain't saying that you are always a bonehead, George, because I have heard you slip over many a good jest when your friend in the chair was too tired from being out all night to fight back; but I am saying that Dolores has fell down in my estimation.

"In the first place, George, a girl that has any claim at all to education should never say 'A coolness has sprung up between her and me.' Any girl that pays attention to the usages of grammar is sure to say 'A coolness has sprang up between she and I.'

"I ain't got time, dear friend to go into all the details of this grammar thing, because it would be like casting pearls before pigs, or whatever the saying is; but I am telling you that Dolores ought to know better.

"Then, in her last paragraph, George, she says, 'I will not take No for an answer.' That is dead wrong. The negative should never be used in place of the objective mood. She should have wrote, 'I will only take Yes for an answer.'

"It means the same, and shows her kind heart, but it also shows that Dolores is a awful ignorant girl, down under all that veneering."

"I think her letter sounds better than your conversation," declared the Head Barber.

"All right, sir," said the Manicure Lady. "Then I will never talk to you no more."

Get an Occupation for Old Age

By ELLA WHEELER WILCOX

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ARE you, my dear madam, doing anything with your life besides taking good care of your children?

Let me urge you to add some outside interest to this profession of motherhood. Some study, some art, some trade that will give you an individual interest after motherhood's duties are over.

It is possible you are one of the eternal mothers, one of the women who will be happy to sit at another's fireside and be the grandmother, nurse and seamstress for the children of your children.

But even so, you may find unsympathetic and unwilling sons and daughters-in-law to make this life impossible for you, and if this fate should fall to your lot, what a blessing you will find working in some employment with which you are familiar, and in which you are skilled.

If you are not the born grandmother, but the mother, happy in her own household, and of the temperament which could never endure the second place in any household, then the choice of some occupation is an imperative duty.

For years of restlessness, discontent and loneliness may direct you otherwise.

Only recently I have encountered such a woman. Widowed, and her children married; left with a small income and nothing to do, born to lead and control and incapable of accepting any secondary role as helper in her children's homes, a more discontented and restless woman it would be hard to find.

"Tell me something to do—something in which I can employ my time and make myself an independent home," was this woman's cry.

There are hundreds of such women scattered through the land.

Sheltered and cared for in comfort during wifehood and maternity, they find themselves stranded and virtually alone at the half-century mark, with their accustomed work done, and yet with their vital forces strong and their ambitions still burning, but with no goal in sight save a lonely old age.

Dressmaking, millinery, music, teaching, a drawing school, a cooking school, stenography, a teacher of languages—any occupation that means usefulness and independence—would be happiness to such women.

Many of these can be studied while a woman is young and caring for her children.

I know one widow who could obtain a position as traveling chaperon if she spoke the French language.

This study she might have taken up in her early life had she wished to do so or foreseen the ultimate need of it.

The acquirement of a language is always an accomplishment, and almost every young mother can find time to study one tongue besides her own if she wills to do so.

One hour even each day, given persistently to any one pursuit, will achieve wonders.

Begin something to-day!

THE LETTER THAT NEVER COMES

Is YOUR Mother Kept Waiting Like This, Always Hoping, but Hoping in Vain?



"And when the postman passes by the chief interest of the day is over for her."

AN hour once a fortnight or even once a week does not seem very long to devote to the person who loves you best in the world, does it?

It will take less than that length of time for you to write a letter to your mother, but do you do it?

In the little house, set back from the village street, or nestling under the trees on the farm, she waits and longs for the letters that, alas! come so rarely.

Remember that everything that happens to you is of vital interest to her. Even the smallest, most trivial details, when interwoven with your life, become immensely important in her eyes.

She is too unselfish to wish you back in the quiet, humdrum village life, but, oh! how she loves to hear of your life in the city, to know that you are happy and that all fares well with you.

Don't you know that every day she watches for the postman, hopefully looking for the letter that never comes. She knows that it won't come, but still she can't help hoping.

And when the postman passes by with a regretful shake of his head in answer to the eager, unspoken question in her face, the chief interest of the day is over, and there is nothing to do but look forward to the morrow; perhaps the letter will come then.

She has a companion in waiting, the faithful old brown doggie, who, though getting old and stiff, is faithful unto death in his loving dog heart.

He also has learnt to look for the postman, and at the accustomed hour he trots sedately to the gate and there awaits the long-expected message.

But no, there is nothing, so with drooping ears and tail he goes slowly back to the other watcher, and if he could speak I am sure he would say, "No, there is nothing for us to-day, but do not fret, for, of course, it will come to-morrow."

Can you bear to think of that mother waiting and hoping day after day?

It would take you such a little while to write to her, and it means so very much to her to hear from you.

Perhaps you support her and send her money, but her heart is hungry for news of you. She loves to brag to her neighbors in her tender, mother way of what a wonderful son or daughter you are, and to read little scraps of your letters. Money can't take the place of love, you know.

No matter how busy a man or woman you may be, you can devote a few minutes once a week to the best and most faithful friend you ever had or ever can have—your mother.

'May Time the Gay Time'

It Is the Time to Love, to Be Happy and to Be Kind to Everybody.

By BEATRICE FAIRFAX



THIS is the time of year to be glad you are alive.

Do you know the little kindergarten song which runs, "The May time is the best time, the happiest time of the year"?

That's the way we all ought to feel; it's the time to love and to be happy and to be kind to everybody. The mere fact that the old brown earth is waking up to beauty and life ought to put a Spring song into our hearts.

Perhaps you are ill or sad or lonely; but there is some joy to be found if you only look for it. As for me, I am so glad to be alive these glorious Spring days that the whole world seems brimming over with joy.

There will be rainy days and cold days and dreary days, but try and accept them with a good grace, and just thank the dear Lord for the sunny ones. And if you have a chance to take a flower or any green living thing into a sick room or a dark corner of the earth don't neglect your opportunity.

Don't Forget the "Shut-Ins"

Remember the "shut-ins," who must take their Spring in hearsay, or the sunshine that filters through between the narrow city walls.

If you can get into the country or the park for an hour or so, do so. You have no idea how the sunshine and the grass and the flowers will drive the shadows out of your heart.

At this time of year I often think of the worlds of a song that I love. I have seen the world look just as these words run: "Sometimes between long shadows on the grass the little truant waves of sunlight pass."

Aren't they sweet, those words; and haven't you often seen those "little truant waves"?

Of course, to get the very heart of the Spring, you must live in the country or a small town; but we of the city cannot altogether complain, as long as we have an occasional purple-curtained wall of wistaria to feast our eyes on, even a tree dressed in all its feathery, nodding Spring bravery.

If you can afford ten cents for a trolley ride, you can go through a paradise of green almost anywhere about Boston. No millionaire in his automobile could get more pleasure than you in your open trolley car.

Take a Few Children Along

If you can afford it, you might take with with you two or three of the little tots who seldom get away from their dingy downtown neighborhood.

Try it, and you will be surprised to see how much they appreciate the beauties of Spring.

There are many little hearts that are just starving for a glimpse of the trees and flowers.

And in any case be glad and thankful that you are alive and that the Spring is here, and that the sun is golden and the sky blue and the world green.

It is good, good, good to be alive.

A Novel in Up-to-Date Style

By WEX JONES



TAKING from his pocket a tiny wireless telephone apparatus, Percy Pumph pressed the little bell four times and, when an answering tingle sounded, he called hurriedly:

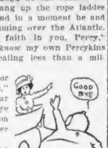
"Arabella, we must fly. The bank has found that I have used $999,999 of its money, and I am to be prosecuted for petty larceny. If I had a chance to make it a million all would be well, for then I should be in the bank wrecker class and guilty of no crime. But, alas! I am now barred out.

"Yes, yes. Get the aeroplane out quietly and we will be off."

II.

With a hoarse laugh at the baffled detectives, Percy sprang up the rope ladder of the aeroplane, and in a moment he and Arabella were skimming over the Atlantic.

"I have perfect faith in you, Percy," said Arabella. "I *know* my own Percykins is incapable of stealing less than a million."



"Thank you for thise kind words," said Percy, a tear falling from each eye and pattering upon the deck of a liner far below.

Suddenly there was a crash and the motor of the aeroplane stopped. Donning a hydrogen suit, Percy climbed over the side and stretched himself under the machine. But ah! A fatal squall blew him out, and away he drifted, frantically waving his hands to Arabella.

III.

Away swept the aeroplane until it fetched up with a bump against a minaret. Catching sight of Arabella, a large Turk exclaimed, as he advanced to seize her:

"I love my potato, but, oh, you peach!"

IV.

In the meantime Percy had drifted rapidly in an upper current of air, and from the fact that he could no longer hear the roar of the ocean, concluded that he must at last have reached land. Unfortunately, the gas having gathered in one side of the balloon suit, he was unable to turn over and look down.



Suddenly there sounded beneath him a confused yelling and banging of drums, shots were fired and bullets whizzed past him. One punctured his balloon suit and he sank slowly, alighting at the feet of Bwana Tumbo, while 1,500 natives howled their admiration of the marvellous shot.

"There is an American in peril," said Percy.

"Where?" asked Bwana Tumbo.

"Somewhere," responded the now hopeful Percy.

"I will rescue her."

V.

Dashing through the astounded Turkish army, Bwana Tumbo knocked down a palace and discovered Arabella just as she was being carried away by the dastardly Turk.

A well-directed blow laid him low.

Arabella fainted in the arms of Percy.

Just then a messenger came along the street crying: "Telegram for Percy Pumph!"

Tearing it open, Percy read:

"Bank president charged dollar you borrowed from him to the bank. Therefore your accounts are now short a million. Congratulations."

"There," said Arabella, "I just knew my boy was all right."

And from the half conscious Turk was faintly heard:

"I love my potato, but, oh, you peach!"

To-day's Best Story

IT was a former archbishop of York—Dr. Thomson—who appeared once in the role of coachman. He had attended an evening party and, on leaving the house, discovered that his coachman was drunk.

There appeared nothing for it but to drive home himself, and the Archbishop, after placing the smiling but unconscious coachman inside the carriage, mounted the box and took the reins.

The monotony of the homeward journey was broken by a wheel of the carriage coming into violent collision with a stone just outside the entrance to Bishopthorpe.

The lodge keeper, unable to recognize the approaching figure in the darkness, called out, cheerily, "Hello, Bill; drunk again? And blowed if you ain't got the old cock's hat on!"

"It's the old cock himself," gravely responded his Grace.

A Child Musician

By AUSTIN DOBSON

HE had played for his lordship's levee,
He had played for her ladyship's whim,
Till the poor little head was heavy,
And the poor little brain would swim.
And the face grew peaked and eerie,
And the large eyes strange and bright,
And they said—too late—"He is weary!
He shall rest for, at least, to-night!"
But at dawn, when the birds were waking,
As they watched in the silent room,
With the sound of a strained cord breaking,
A something snapped in the gloom.
'Twas the string of his violincello,
And when they heard him stir in his bed:—
"Make room for a tired little fellow,
Kind God!" was the last that he said.

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Literary Guff

There is just as much Kabojolism as there is plagiarism in the world

By Elbert Hubbard



ELBERT HUBBARD.

THERE is that which is called plagiarism.

Plagiarism consists in appropriating as your own the Good Stuff of another.

There are three degrees of this moral malady: Petit plagiarism, plagiarism in the second degree and grand plagiarism.

Petit plagiarism consists of lifting simple thoughts and sentences; plagiarism in the second degree consists of lifting scenes and chapters; grand plagiarism consists of seizing the whole book and putting your name on the title page.

The antithesis of plagiarism is kabojolism. This offense consists of attributing to another Good Stuff which he never expressed; and, in short, is simply plagiarism placed wrong side out.

The simplest and most common form of kabojolism consists of quoting some mythical Mrs. Harris. In small towns the habit is as plentiful as the Jigger in July; and the Bucolic Philosopher at the Grocery constantly refers to Ol' Bill Jones, and states what he could easily prove had Ol' Bill not passed to the Realm of Shade.

Kabojolism in the second degree consists of stating things with risques for which you do not wish to stand sponsor, but which you feel should be said in the interests of the Higher Criticism. Therefore, you say them, and give another credit.

Kabojolism is no new thing. Thucydides tells of how Aristophanes referred to the great speech of Pericles over the Athenian heroic dead as "the best thing that Aspasia ever wrote."

In the days of Augustus Caesar a part of the duties of the Questor was to write the orations for the Emperor. This was well understood, and nobody tried to dodge the proposition. Time does not change humanity much, for recently a zealous friend of Grover Cleveland put forth the claim that he was the only President since Lincoln who wrote his own messages.

I once advertised one of my workmen as an Infant Prodigy—he was neither an infant nor a prodigy—but he looked the part. In the language of my friend Colonel Ed Geers, the Prodigy could not trot a little bit, but he was a tremendous looker. So I showed him to the visitors and they were wonderfully impressed.

The genuine crackerjack work about the place was mostly done by small, red-haired and bow-legged parties with freckles and diffident manners. As long as I could keep the Prodigy from talking, and at night destroyed all the work he did during the day, as Penelope raveled the shroud, I was all right.

After a time the Prodigy affected a short velvet jacket and a tailor-made codpiece. Soon he became known as the Wonder of the World. And, worse than that, he began to believe it, and then either he or I had to go.

He happened to be it.

"I Refused to Be Bribed."

Voltaire was more given to kabojolitis than any other writer I now recall. He sent all the savants of Europe digging in the libraries for men and books that never lived outside the figment of his pigment.

Grand kabojolism consists of attributing to another a whole book you yourself have Dashed Off. Not long ago one Tark Boothington wrote a book. Bone, Marl & Co. offered to publish it if my name could be used as author. There was a thousand dollars in it for Tark and as much for me, but I stood firm and absolutely refused to be bribed.

My friend Edgar Saltus says in his occasional gallimaufry that Daudet used to employ 'prentice talent on his books. Some of Daudet's boys did remarkably well for green hands, but they would occasionally lapse, as even careful writers may.

A lady reader of Daudet's works, having stumbled upon a beautiful anachronism, wrote to Daudet and put him straight. Thereupon, instead of writing a courteous note of thanks to the lady Daudet so far forgot himself as to reply: "Dear Madam—I have not read the book in question, and damn me if I will."

When Amy Fay was a pupil of Franz Liszt she was once making merry over a musical composition by the Duke of Weimar. "Have a care, my child," said the Master in his gentle way, "have a care how you make fun of the music of princes—you can never tell who wrote it."

At least three instances are on record where men have created a nation that never existed and given the people a literature, a science and a religion complete. Chatterton started to do something like that, when he slipped his hawser and drifted to Bedlam.

I am fully convinced that there is just as much kabojolism in the world as plagiarism—just as much undue credit given as credit withheld.

Let me close with a somewhat sad but true incident: Years ago there used to live an elderly gentleman with long white whiskers, a linen duster and patriarchal ways. He was known as the "Bum Peter Cooper." At conventions, mass meetings and public gatherings his services were in demand at two dollars per. All he had to do was to applaud the speakers by pounding vociferously on the floor with his cane, say nothing and look like the real Peter Cooper.

Finally, through the applause that always greeted him when he appeared upon the stage at public meetings, a buzzing blue bottle got into his bonnet, and he became possessed of the idea that he was the Sure-Enough Peter Cooper, and the other man, who built the Cooper Union, was the Bum. He grew garrulous and fell into the habit of referring to the Real Peter Cooper as a freak, a fake and a fraud. As long as the Bum was quiet, all was well. But when he began to talk his supporters were obliged to throw him into the Irish Sea.

The Woman Militant

By HENRIETTA CROSMAN

IT has been my experience that in this world people get just what they fight for. Persuasion and argument are the weapons of diplomacy, and a struggle for suffrage doesn't come under that head.

The party in power is never willing to share its rule till forced to do so.

The American people tried persuasion and argument to rid themselves of taxation without representation, but they finally had to resort to arms to gain their freedom.

It is probably the same voice that now cries "Unwomanly" that shouted "Treason! Treason!" at Patrick Henry.

Did any of the women who encouraged their husbands and suffered their hardships in that struggle lose any of their womanliness because they urged their men to fight for their liberty and were ready to fight themselves if necessary?

Did Barbara Frietchie lose her womanliness when she waved the American flag and dared them to shoot "this old gray head"?

Did the women of that war, and especially of the South, lose any of their charm because they were willing and anxious to share the lot and privations of the men who fought?

Does the Red Cross nurse on the battlefield lose her womanliness because she associates with hardened men?

My own grandmother sent her husband and her three sons to the War of the Rebellion, and said she was sorry she hadn't more to send. Did she lose any of her womanliness because she advocated force of arms?

Men will grant suffrage to women when women can demand it.

Pioneers have ever borne the hardships and cruelties of this world, often the ridicule. But what men ridiculed yesterday they accept to-day as fact, and it seems strange to them that it was not always so.

So it will be with suffrage. When it is granted to women, and it will be some day, then woman, instead of losing her "womanliness for which we worship her," will radiate her gentleness throughout politics. Party lines will be broken, machines will be wrecked and the political wrongdoer will flee, because the home will be in politics.

Advocates of radical changes are always "strident and violent." It may take some years even after suffrage is granted before real woman comes to the polls. But she will come, and when she does the political heeler will disappear, the boss will be no more and clean politics will have a chance.

Looks Deceive

SHE'S young; indeed, she's very young,
Fresh as a daisy on the mead,
Fair as a lily newly sprung,
The flower of her flock indeed.
She's slight—as slender as a reed;
And graceful, that is understood;
And everywhere it is agreed
She doesn't look as if she could.

A SILVER bell that's softly rung,
That is her voice. Full low 'tis keyed,
The sweetest voice the maids among;
In all, the rest doth she exceed.
You'd think that mercy was her creed,
The mercy of mild maidenhood,
Before you were from error freed.
She doesn't look as if she could.

AROUND her I for months have hung;
For months I've been quite off my feed;
And no one ever worse was stung
Than I, or with an equal speed.
My doleful plaint she would not heed.
I wept. That wasn't any good.
She made my faithful bosom bleed.
She doesn't look as if she could.

L'ENVOI.

SHE'S rich, but I ne'er thought that she'd
Behave so like a block of wood,
And thus my charted course impede,
She doesn't look as if she could.

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FICTION

The Journal of a Neglected Wife

By Mabel Herbert Urner

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December 15th.

I FOUND "Amiel's Journal" on the library table, where Horace had been reading last night. As I was replacing the book on the shelves, it fell open at a pencil-marked passage. I do not read French well, but this was not difficult to translate:

"Destiny has two ways of crushing us—by denying our wishes and by fulfilling them."

Why had he marked that? It is strangely like that epigram of John Oliver Hobbes. Of what was Horace thinking when he read it? Was it something about her, or of me? Does he, too, make a personal application of everything, as I do now?

December 6th.

THE happiness and sense of security I felt when I first came home is gradually slipping from me, and all the old torturing thoughts of her are coming back.

Horace tries to be kind, but I can see that he is even more worried and abstracted than ever before.

Sunday, December 17th.

I HAVE heard her voice. For one throbbing moment I spoke to her over the telephone.

This time, by remaining silent myself, I forced her to speak.

I do not know what I feel. Great waves of emotion have been sweeping over me ever since.

It was near 11 when the telephone rang. I did not go down at once, for I thought he was there; he always spends Sunday morning in the library, and I knew he had been there only a few moments before.

But when the bell rang shrilly again and again, I hurried down. If it should be—— I was trembling violently. Quickly it flashed over me that if I remained silent she would be forced to speak.

I took down the receiver and waited. For several seconds there was no sound, and then a faint, soft voice called: "Hello!" Still I did not speak. And then the same voice: "Hello! hello, Central! I asked for 4629 River!"

"Well, there they are—go on!" rasped Central.

Then I called clearly: "Hello; this is 4629 River." I waited tensely. She must speak, now; it would be less suspicious than for her to remain silent.

"Is—is Mr. Kennedy there?" I seemed to feel every throb of hesitation and fear in that tremulous voice.

"Mr. Kennedy is not here just now. Is there any message?" I managed to say, but my voice was strained and hard.

"No, thank you; it is not important. Good-by!"

For a long time after I hung up the receiver I stood there motionless. I seemed unable to move. She had known who I was! I felt that in her voice. Did she know I knew, too?

When Horace came in about an hour later, I did not say that some one had telephoned. I could not. I knew I would betray myself if I did.

December 18th.

WHAT will be the end? What will the next few months bring?

Again and again I ask myself that.

This time next year, where will I be? Under what conditions will I be living?

There is a two years' calendar before me on my desk. I have just turned over to a year from to-night, Wednesday (December 18th), and marked the date and hour. A year from to-night at the same time—half-past ten—I will again write on that leaf. It is a small calendar; I will carry it wherever I go. There is a little comfort in knowing that it will be with me.

Until the daily tearing off of the leaves brings me to that page, I will not turn to it. So when next it is before me a year will have passed, and I will know.

Will Horace be far away from me then, and will I be longing heart-hungrily for even the little of his companionship that I have now?

Will I look back upon this night as comparatively happy besides the utter desolation of that?"

Will I feel then that it would be an unspeakable joy just to know that I would see him in the morning, as I know now that I will, even though it be for only a few brief words at breakfast?

December 19th.

I HAVE seen a child beating its hands against a door in wild, impotent rage. I think that is how I now feel toward life. I am beating myself against barriers before which I am powerless; I am wearing out my strength, my vitality, fighting conditions that only elude and baffle me.

December 20th.

I AM sick, sick with strained emotions.

To-day it is the sensation one has when a too-smooth-running elevator stops with a sickening lurch. There is in it, too, something of a nameless fear and terror.

The lump that came spasmodically now seems permanently lodged in my throat.

I know now that the believers in the creed that mind controls the body are right. If it could be proven to me that my husband was not unfaithful, that there was no other woman in his life, I would be well, perfectly well.

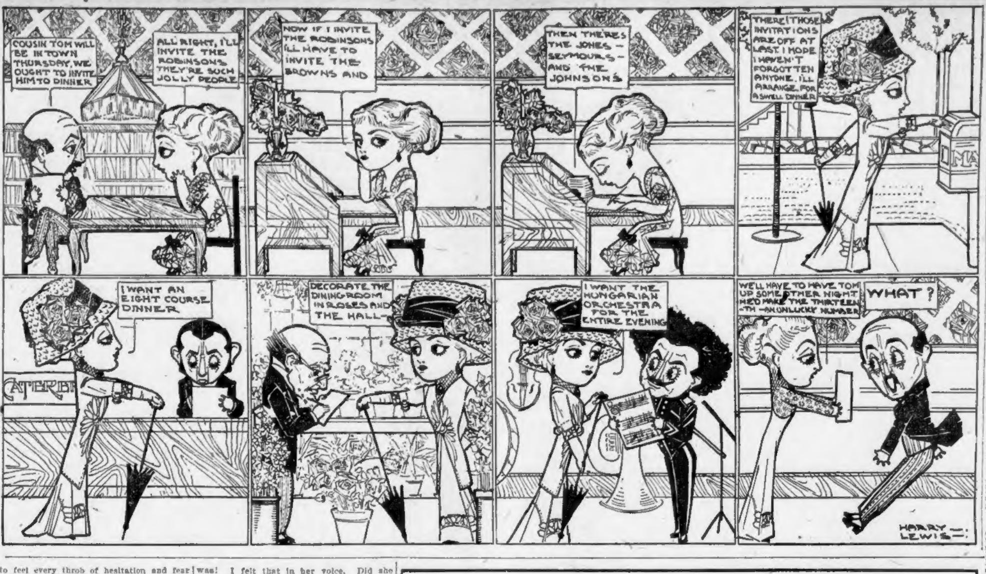
Her voice haunts me constantly. Even over the telephone it was very low and soft.

Somehow I have always pictured her as tall and "striking." But now I think of her as small and slight. And I know it is the type of woman, the frail, delicate woman, who would appeal to him most.

(To Be Concluded To-morrow.)

A WOMAN'S WAY

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Advice to the Lovelorn---By Beatrice Fairfax

THREE LOVING SONS

DEAR MISS FAIRFAX:

Three brothers desire to give a birthday present to their father and mother, and have about $75 to spend. they would desire to have one thing do for both the people, as they do not know their mother's age, but the father's age is exactly fifty years, and therefore they desire to make both happy by having one article suffice. Would also like to inform you that the tastes of both are very plain.

A CONSTANT READER.

I WOULD advise that you give them something in silver. You could get something very nice, say a loving cup, with an inscription and the initials of both on it. If you did not care to do that, you might send them on a nice little trip for that amount of money. There are other things in silver which would be appropriate, such as a tray, a teapot or coffee pot, or vegetable dishes, or you could get two lovely armchairs.

MEET AT HOME

DEAR MISS FAIRFAX:

I'm engaged to a young man two years my senior. I'm desperately in love with him and he says that my love is reciprocated. We meet (outside) about once a week. On a few occasions he has told me that he thinks that I don't really want to meet him, which is not true, for I am anxious to meet him. Last time we met he said that if, after marriage, I wouldn't respect him as a husband he would not care about me any longer. These words were like torture to me and I'm thinking of them all the time.

What I would like to know from you is: What do you think of them?

G. B. C.

I DON'T know what he means. Why shouldn't you respect him as a husband if he treats you properly? Do not bother about what he says; perhaps he means that he wants to hold your love after marriage. I would suggest that you meet in your home instead of outside; it would place you in a much better light.

NO CAUSE FOR OFFENCE

DEAR MISS FAIRFAX:

For some time I have been engaged to a lady, and recently have become acquainted with another through the family with whom I board. This young lady invited me to call on her, which I declined to do. Thinking the one to whom I was engaged might learn of it, and be in some doubt as to whether I did or did not call, I made it a point to call on her that evening, and showed her the note. She then told me that about a week before, a gentleman from a nearby city, whom she had become acquainted with through business transactions, had called upon her, without asking her for or receiving her consent. But fearing I might be offended, she had kept the matter a secret. I have loved this woman with all my heart, and have been true and loyal to her. But I was offended and a quarrel ensued, she claiming she was no more responsible for this man's visit than I for the invitation. I would like to know your opinion of a woman who will carry her business relations with a man to such an extent that he would presume to call upon her from a city twenty-eight miles distant without being invited.

CONSTANT READER.

I THINK that you have been most unnecessarily severe. What if a mere casual acquaintance did call upon your fiancee? There is no harm in that. Do you expect her to speak to no other man but yourself. I think she is the one who should be offended at your want of confidence in her. Of course, she might have told you of the call, but there is no actual harm in her failure to do so. If you take my advice you will call upon her at once and tell her that you feel that you were much too hasty in taking offence.

OBSTACLES

By ELLA WHEELER WILCOX

The slothful man saith, There is a lion in the way; a lion in the street.—Proverbs 26:13.

THERE are no lions in the street;
No lions in the way.
Go seek the goal, thou slothful soul,
Awake, awake, I say.

Thou dost but dream of obstacles;
In God's great lexicon,
That word illstarred no page has marred;
Press on, I say, press on.

Nothing can keep thee from thine own
But thine own slothful mind.
To one who knocks, each door unlocks;
And he who seeks, shall find.

The Tri-Weekly Train

A New Englander was traveling in Texas on a new railroad.

"Hello, neighbor!" he called out to a fellow traveller. "How about the southbound train? How often does it run?"

"She's a try-weekly," said the Texan. "She runs down one week and tries mighty hard to get back the next."—Judge.

JANITORS IN 1950.

"John, are you nearly through in here?"

"Yes, sir."

"Well, when you get through go out and spread the life-net under room No. 560,892. Mr. Jones has fallen from the top story."—Harper's Weekly.

A DOMESTIC PRODUCT.

There are a lot of people who will be surprised to learn that lemons have not been on the free list.—Commoner.

SOCIETY

Society's interest was pretty evenly divided last night between the Cafe Chantant given by the Professional Women's Club, given under fashionable patronage, and the concert and dance given in Whitney Hall, Brookline, by the Harvard Freshman musical clubs.

Numerous smart dinners preceded the latter affair, the hostesses taking their guests to the concert and remaining to chaperone the young girls at the dance which followed.

Among the patronesses were Mrs. A. Lawrence Lowell, Mrs. William Lawrence, Mrs. Eben S. Draper, Mrs. Thomas Aspinwall, Mrs. Thomas P. Beal, Mrs. A. L. Bemis, Mrs. Robert A. Bolt, Mrs. C. R. Cobb, Mrs. Morris Gray, Mrs. Frederick Higginson, Mrs. Henry S. Howe, Mrs. Herbert Jacques, Mrs. James Murray Kay, Mrs. John Lowell, Mrs. Arthur Lyman, Mrs. C. S. Miller, Mrs. S. J. Mixter, Mrs. C. F. Perkins, Mrs. George H. Sabine, Mrs. S. A. Sargent, Mrs. G. S. H. Sharp, Mrs. Edwin Sheafe, Mrs. William D. Sohier, Mrs. F. C. Sweetzer, Mrs. E. D. Ver Planck, Mrs. E. S. Webster and Mrs. C. L. B. Whitney.

Among the patronesses for the Cafe Chantant were Mrs. Julia Ward Howe, Mrs. Roger Wolcott, Mrs. Larz Anderson, Mrs. John Chipman Gray and numerous other well known women.

Cards have reached here from Mrs. Edgar S. Hyatt of Plainfield, N. J., for the marriage on June 1, of her daughter, Cornelia Lawrence, to Dr. John Bromham Hawes, 2d, of Beacon street. The ceremony will take place at Grace Episcopal Church, Plainfield, and will be followed by a reception at the home of the bride's mother.

Dr. Hawes, who graduated from Harvard in 1900 and from the Harvard Medical School three years later, is now visiting physician to the out patient department of the Carney Hospital and assistant visiting physician to the out patient department of the Massachusetts General Hospital.

First among the season's arrivals at Mt. Desert are Mr. and Mrs. George F. Arnold of Brookline, who have just opened their Summer villa at that fashionable resort.

A notable guest in Boston this week is Mrs. Mary Wilkins Freeman of Jersey City. Mrs. Freeman is being lavishly entertained and upon concluding her visit here will go to visit friends in Randolph.

Mr. and Mrs. George B. Wilbur have closed their house on Bay State road for the Summer. Mrs. Wilbur has gone for a short visit with her mother in Maine, while Mr. Wilbur and Mrs. Wilbur's niece, Miss Decker, are at the Touraine for a couple of weeks prior to going down to the Summer estate at Wood's Hole.

Mrs. A. L. Wilbur, of St. Stephen street, her son and his talented young wife are to spend the Summer at the Anchorage at Winthrop.

Mrs. Edgar Harding of Beacon street and her son, Marston Harding, will shortly sail for Europe, where they will spend the Summer in motoring. Last Summer the Hardings were at the beautiful Summer place at Woods Hole.

Mr. and Mrs. James T. Wetherald have closed their Fenway home and are at the country estate in Deerfield, Mass., for the early season. Later they will go to their North Shore home, at Beach Bluff, for the season.

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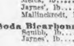
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Squibb, lb.		18c
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Merck's, lb.	50c	35c
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Squibb's, lb.	75c	50c
Jaynes', lb.		23c
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Merck's Silver Label, lb.	75c	50c
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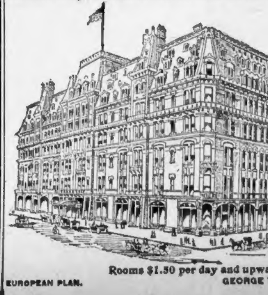
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BIG DEMAND FOR REALTY IN SUBURBS

Suburban properties constituted the principal feature in the realty news to-day.

In the West End the three-story brick, frame ell, house and 1,530 square feet of land at No. 43 Hancock street, near Myrtle street, assessed for a total of $12,500, have been sold by Fannie B. Taylor to Louise P. Maguire. The land is taxed on a valuation of $6,900.

Samuel Broadbent has sold to Fannie M. Glickman the four-story brick house and 1,065 square feet of land at No. 21 Camden place, opposite Washington street. The property is assessed for a total of $2,000, of which $1,100 is on the land.

In Dorchester the frame house and 3,150 square feet of land at No. 10 aryland street, near Savin Hill avenue, taxed for a total of $4,400, have been sold by Catherine McCoe to Christian H. Lytthans. The land is rated for $600.

Henry C. Towle et ux. have sold to N. Thomas Merritt, Jr., about 4,000 feet of land, assessed for 20 cents a foot, on Wheatland avenue, near Whitfield street, Dorchester, adjoining the present property of the buyer.

Margaret S. Murphy has sold to William E. Wight a plot of 3,395 square feet, taxed for $880, on Corona street, near Geneva avenue, Dorchester.

In Brighton, the Boston & Albany Railroad has purchased from George E. Pollard et al., trustees, the estate at No. 290 Cambridge street, opposite Royal street. The estate consists of a frame house and 18,176 square feet of land, assessed for $7,100, of which $6,400 is on the land.

Another sale in the same suburb is that of the frame house and 4,343 square feet of land at Nos. 29-31 Hobson street, near Faneuil street. The property is taxed on a total valuation of $5,000, of which $400 is on the land.

Frederick G. Ellis has sold to Sarah A. Malley the frame house and 5,004 square feet of land at No. 66 Fairbanks street, near Faneuil street, assessed on a total valuation of $4,300, of which $700 is on the land.

In West Roxbury, the frame house and 4,133 square feet of land at No. 47 Patten street, near Rodman street, taxed or a total of $3,600, have been sold by Elisha W. Morse to Elizabeth A. Greene.

Mary Lohan has sold to Mary Holihan the frame house and 5,000 feet of land at No. 7 Harrison street, near Brown avenue, West Roxbury, assessed or a total of $2,800, of which $500 is on the land.

In South Boston the octagon-front brick house and 1,110 square feet of land at No. 2 Pacific street, near E Fourth street, have been sold by Margaret A. Hale to the Union Institution for Savings. The estate is assessed for a total of $3,100.

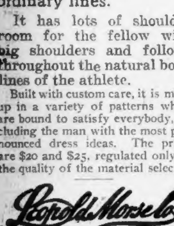
W. L. DOUGLAS GIVES BEEF TRUST WARNING

Warning is issued to-day by W. L. Douglas, the Brockton shoe manufacturer, that, unless the present duty on hides and leather is abated or removed, it will only be a short time before the beef trust will have a monopoly of shoe manufacturing in connection with its present tanning monopoly. This is the second article issued over Mr. Douglas's signature in connection with the hides and leather tariff. It says in part: "The boot and shoe manufacturers of this country are facing a crisis even greater than many of them realize. With present duties on hides and leather it does not take a prophet to foretell in a general way what will happen. This no less than a gigantic trust controlling the beef packing, leather tanning and shoe manufacturing industries of this country. This trust, of course, will be built around the present beef trust."

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SENSATION IS PROMISED IN HEINZE PROBE

NEW YORK, May 21.—F. Augustus Heinze and David Lamar are to be summoned to the United States Bankruptcy Court to tell what they know about the Curb brokerage firm of Moritz Rothenburger & Company, of No. 43 Exchange place. This was decided at a conference between Peter Alexander, receiver for Rothenburger, and his counsel, Hays, Hirschfeld & Wolf.

It was due to the conflicting statements by Rothenburger and Heinze as to the connection of David Lamar with transactions in Ohio Copper stock through which it is said the Rothenburger Company failed.

According to persons conversant with the facts, the investigation is likely to involve three of the largest New York stock exchange houses and reveal methods that will astonish even the boldest operator in the street.

Heinze Makes Statement.

In a statement Heinze gave his version of his connection with the Rothenbergers.

"The only transaction I ever had with Rothenberger & Co. was on February 3, 1909," he said. "When I gave an order to them to buy 8,600 shares of Ohio Copper Company at New York and Salt Lake City.

"The total of this purchase was $61,601, and I gave 4,400 shares of Ohio Copper Company stock as collateral for this account, for which I hold their receipt.

"Some time in March Mr. Rothenberger came to my office and told me his firm was in difficulties, especially in being loaded up with quite an amount of Ohio Copper stock. He said that if he did not get help by the following Monday his firm would have to go into bankruptcy.

Friends Talk of Plot.

"I was in no way interested with David Lamar transaction in Ohio Copper Company stock made through Rothenberger & Company. The 4,400 shares of Ohio Copper stock entrusted to Rothenberger & Company February 23 as collateral was subsequently, without my knowledge or consent, delivered to David Lamar, on Lamar's representation that he was interested with me in the purchase, and that I had authorized him to procure the 4,400 shares of stock from Rothenberger & Company."

Friends of Heinze declare that the whole thing was a plot in which three New York stock exchange houses were involvel. The alleged plan was to force Heinze to take a big block of Ohio Copper at the figure to which the alleged conspirators had washed it, or threaten to throw it on the market and break the price to such a figure that the banks would call Heinze's loans for which the stock had been put up as collateral.

SIX MILLIONS FOR THE WESTERN UNION

The Western Union has won a $6,000,000 suit against the American Telephone and Telegraph Company after litigation lasting thirty years. The United States Circuit Court decided in favor of the Western Union, and the amount which the former is to get has just been decided by a master.

The suit was brought to require the telephone company to account to the Western Union for shares of stock under an agreement by which the latter claimed the Bell concern agreed to account for 20 per cent. of all rentals or royalties received from licenses or leases for speaking telephones. It was claimed that the stocks were received as rentals for such licenses. The first special master named by the Circuit Court was Hon. John Lowell, and Everett Burdett is the present one. After hearings before him extending over several years it was found that if the stocks were to be figured upon par value the telephone company owed the Western Union more than $6,000,000, as 20 per cent. of the $339,065,003 which the former had received for licenses, dividends and other receipts for which it was accountable under the agreement. Master Burdett's report will soon be filed with the court.

Many of the ablest attorneys in the country have been engaged in this legal contest.

NOW SUES TO GET HIS FORTUNE BACK

PROVIDENCE, R. I., May 21.—The Deacon William J. King estate, which has been held in trust since Deacon King died in 1885 is made the subject of a contest just begun in the Supreme Court in the form of a bill of complaint brought by Fredrika King Wallace for the termination of the trust.

William J. King amassed a fortune in cotton, which is said increased in trust, until it is now several million dollars. His sons died, but there were several grandchildren, to whom the estate was left in trust.

Mrs. Wallace is one of the grandchildren. She married George R. MacLeod, but got a divorce after two children were born. To save her estate she placed it under another trusteeship while the divorce proceedings were pending. William J. Kind, 2d, was made trustee in 1903, but he resigned in 1906 and the Court made the Industrial Trust Company the custodian of the property.

Mrs. Wallace now asks that the trust be vacated, alleging that by mistake when she executed the trust deed the power of revocation was accidentally omitted. As all debts incident to her first marriage are settled, she desires to again control her property.

UNITARIANS TO MEET IN BOSTON

Unitarians from all over the country will gather here next week for the meeting of the American Unitarian Association. Anniversary meetings will be held from Sunday through Friday, May 28.

Governor and Mrs. Draper and President of the Association and Mrs. S. A. Eliot will be among those in the receiving line at the Hotel Somerset reception next Monday night. The annual meeting will be held Monday morning at Channing Hall, Professor William H. Carruth of Lawrence, Kan., being the principal speaker.

Ex-Governor Guild will preside at a public meeting in Tremont Temple Tuesday night. The Rev. Samuel M. Crothers, D. D., of Cambridge; the Rev. Charles E. St. John of Philadelphia, and the Rev. Minot O. Simos of Cleveland will be among the speakers.

One of the meetings that is expected to be of unusua interest to those outside the church as well as Unitarians will be held at the Arlington Street Church next Sunday and Rabbi Stephen S. Wise of New York and Professor Charles Zeublin of Boston will speak.

DECLARES PATTEN WRONG ON WHEAT

CHICAGO, May 21.—The declaration of James A. Patten that higher wheat prices will continue and a short wheat crop be harvested was criticised by former Congressman Robert G. Cousins of Tipton, Ia., who is at the Auditorium Hotel.

"I have just returned from a tour of the Middle West," he said. "While Patten is a man with large experience, what I have seen and know do not support his contentions, especially regarding the coming wheat crops. Prospects for a great crop and excellent yield were never better. In many places people are even sowing wheat in their dooryards."

F. Augustus Heinze, Who Must Tell Stock Story



WALL STREET NEWS OF INTEREST TO INVESTORS

WALL STREET, New York, May 21.—There is a grain or two of truth in the semi-sarcastic explanation that the market has declined because Southern Pacific's dividend was not advanced. A raise had been half promised to Londoners six months ago. That implied pledge was known here and it drew some investment and considerable speculation in the stock. The selling was really begun in London, where there is an expectation of very large issues of bonds in the near future.

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Nobody on this side really expected any increase in the Harriman dividends, although some pretended to be disappointed that nothing was said after the meeting. There is a great deal more to be said in regard to Chesapeake & Ohio, but it apparently is not in shape to be made public.

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In some quarters the reaction is ascribed to sober second thought of the public in regard to the death of H. H. Rogers. It is hardly fair to look at the situation in this way, however. Thousands of speculators have been buying Steel, for instance, with the idea of selling it when it struck 60. When that figure was reached a perfect Niagara of Steel was offered, but the quotation quickly receded, and but little of the 60 stock got on the market. The Steel boomers will be compelled to take several hundred thousands of shares if they attempt to move the price far into the sixties. John W. Gates is understood to have been put in charge of the Steel campaign because it needs somebody with dash and disregard of consequences to break through the new level. Many of the traders have cancelled their selling orders at 60 since they learned that Gates is active in the stock.

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The advance in Southern Pacific is not considered remarkable in view of the heavy liquidation of Union Pacific recently for the purpose of buying Southern Pacific. It looks as though Southern Pacific is to be the speculative leader of the Harriman party, because Union Pacific has moved to a price too high for the small trader to handle. It has yielded 7 per cent. this year and is low. Union Pacific's market position is unusually strong. The price prohibits transactions in it on narrow margins, and those who buy it are doing so with confidence in its ability to maintain its dividend. Some insiders of Union Pacific favor segregation if for no other reason than to have more shares in the market representing the assets of the company. This would give the stock a lower price per share and make it a better trading issue.

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To old investors in the South the advance in the dividend rate of Atlantic Coast common must be especially gratifying. In the hurry and scurry of the Street it has perhaps been forgotten that the Atlantic Coast Line Railroad is but another name for the Richmond & Petersburg Railroad, organized in 1836. That old, if not always honored, name was retained until a few years ago, when it was changed to the Atlantic Coast Line Railroad of Virginia, and a little later to the Atlantic Coast Line Railroad.

The organization has witnessed and experienced swift mutations, the vicissitudes and prosperities of American railways, a struggle for existence for many years and then a period in which dividends and receiverships were strangely mingled. To-day the company bids fair to become one of the most powerful and profitable organizations in the country, for it controls the Louisville & Nashville system.

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Irrespective of the Louisville, the Atlantic Coast Line has 4,365 miles of its own, and while the road per se is not doing the business shown by the Southern Railway Company, both freight and passenger traffic reveal a healthy upward trend. The total receipts net are, however, far in excess of the Southern's. Fixed charges are light, which leaves the margin of safety wide. These charges would have been onerous had not the company converted all but $1,500,000 of its preferred stock into 4 per cent. certificates of indebtedness.

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Several correspondents question the statement made in this column that about 150,000,000 pounds of copper metal have been sold since May 1. The figures are the most reliable that can be obtained from respectable quarters. The heavy sales are due to the fact that consumers are piling up the metal in preparation for what they believe will be a record-breaking boom in business. President Taft says he expects to have the tariff bill in his hands by June 20 at the latest, and now that everybody has abandoned hope of any tariff reform business men have decided to get to work and waste no time waiting on politicians.

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Improvement in the market for Steel shares naturally attracts attention to copper stocks. These remain comparatively heavy. Some friends of Mr. Rogers say that trading in Amalgamated was restricted because of his physical condition, and that now the crisis is past Amalgamated will be brought forward as a speculation. Some brokers imagined the liquidation of Rogers stocks. There was none.

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Governor Hughes's committee appointed to purify Wall Street is expected to make its report in a few days. The resolutions adopted by the New York Stock Exchange are understood to have been prompted by advance information of what that committee will report. Failures of brokers are not looked upon with friendly eyes by Wall Street. Both exchanges have been lax in their investigation of members, to say the least.

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Positive confirmation was obtained yesterday of the report that there would be an assessment on Western Maryland stock when it is reorganized. No computation has been made yet of the amount of money needed, but when the assessment is made security will be given for it. The assessment will really take the shape of a compulsory issue of bonds.

TODAY'S STOCK MARKETS: FINANCIAL NEWS

STEEL MAKES HIGH RECORD

By T. C. SHOTWELL.

NEW YORK, May 21.—A new high record was made for Steel common in the early trading this morning, when it sold at 60⅛. The advance was made on moderate transactions. Other stocks moved up along with the leader. Business was active and the undertone of the market was strong in all directions.

The Street seemed to feel that the decline yesterday was due largely to the selling out by stock exchange houses of securities held for the account of Consolidated Exchange brokers. Individual stock exchange houses will not admit the fact, but it is known that the aggregate of consolidated business is large enough at times to influence the market. Brooklyn Rapid Transit was inclined to be heavy. Agitation against Sunday amusements at Coney Island was the cause. Wall Street is buying Brooklyn on this decline, as the agitation is looked upon by professional traders as a political hold-up and a quick rebound is expected as soon the the city government grants permission to continue the shows.

On the curb market silver stocks were higher, but the copper shares were dull.

NEW YORK STOCKS.

Following is the range of prices to noon for leading New York stocks:

RAILROADS.

	High.	Low.	Noon.
Atch., T. & S. F.	109⅝	108⅞	109⅝
Balt. & Ohio	115	114⅞	115
Brooklyn Rapid Tr.	78⅞	78¾	78⅞
Canadian Pacific	180	179¾	180
Ches. & Ohio	79⅝	78⅞	78⅞
Ch., M. & St. P.	151¼	151¼	151¼
Chic. & N. W.	182	182	182
Col. & Southern	65½	65½	65½
Del. & Hudson	196½	194½	195
Denver & Rio G.	49¼	49	49
Erie	33⅝	33⅜	33½
Erie 1st pref.	50½	50½	50½
Gt. Northern pref.	146	145¼	146
Int.-Metropol.	16¼	16¼	16¼
Kansas City So.	47	46¾	47
Mo., Kan. & Texas	42⅞	42¼	42½
Missouri Pacific	75	74½	74½
N. Y. C. & Hud.	131	130⅝	130⅞
N. Y., Ont. & W.	48¾	48¾	48¾
Northern Pacific	146⅝	144¾	145¾
Pennsylvania	135	134⅞	135
Reading	158¾	157⅞	157¾
Rock Island	32¾	32	32⅝
Rock Island pf.	71	70½	71
Southern Pacific	123½	122¾	123⅛
Southern Railway	31	30⅝	30⅞
Texas & Pacific	34	34	34
Union Pacific	189¼	188¾	188¾
Wabash	20	20	20
Wabash pf.	51	50¼	51
Wisconsin Cen. pf.	91¼	91¼	91¼

INDUSTRIALS AND MISCELLANEOUS.

	High.	Low.	Noon.
Amal. Copper	82⅞	82¼	82½
Am. Ag. Chem.	39¾	39¾	39¾
Am. Car & Fdy.	55¼	54⅝	55
Amer. Sm. & R.	93¾	92¾	93¼
Am. Sug. Ref.	132⅞	132⅞	132⅞
Am. Beet Sug.	38½	38½	38½
Amer. Woolen	37⅝	36¾	37⅝
Anaconda Cop.	50⅝	49¾	50⅝
Col. Fuel & Iron	41½	41	41⅛
Con. Gas (N. Y.)	144½	143½	143½
Distill. Secur.	39½	39½	39½
Gen. Electric	161½	160	161½
Hocking Coal	63⅛	62¾	63⅛
Int. Steam Pump	40¾	40¾	40⅝
Peop. Gas	114⅞	114⅞	114⅞
Press. Steel Car	42	42	42
Rep. I. & Steel	28¾	28	28⅝
Rep. Ir. & Steel	91	90½	91
U. S. Steel	60¼	59⅞	60¼
U. S. Steel pf.	119⅞	119⅞	119¾
Utah Copper	52	52	52
West. Un. Tel.	78	76	77
West. El. & Mfg.	84	83	84

BOSTON CURB MARKET.

Range of prices from 10 a. m. to 12 m.

	High.	Low.	Last.
Bay State Gas	55c	54c	54c
Begole	18	18	18
Black Mt.	89c	89c	89c
Boston Ely	1½	1½	1½
Chemung	16	15	15
Cumberland Ely	8	8	8
Davis Daly	6¼	6	6
Eclipse Oil	15½c	15½c	15½c
First Nat'l Cop.	5¾	5⅝	5 11-16
Geyser	10½c	10c	10c
Globe Consol.	5¼	5¼	5¼
Helvetia	6½	6 5-16	6⅜
Inspiration	7⅞	7⅞	7⅞
Laramie	81c	80c	81c
La Rose	7⅜	7 5-16	7⅜
Majestic	96c	95c	95c
National Explor.	52c	51c	51c
Nevada Utah	2¾	2 11-16	2¾
Ohio Copper	6⅞	6½	6⅜
Raven	39c	35c	37c
Rawhide Coal.	26c	26c	26c
Ray Central	3½	3½	3½
Southwest Devel.	30c	26c	30c
Superior Globe	1⅛	1⅛	1⅛
Vulture	7⅞	7¼	7¾
Yukon	5	4⅞	5

CARPENTER A SUICIDE.

MANCHESTER, N. H., May 21.—Frank Swain, a carpenter, aged forty-three, committed suicide at his home in Candia by shooting himself in the right temple. It is thought the suicide was due to despondency over the death of his mother.

BOSTON STOCKS.

Following is the range of prices to noon for leading Boston stocks:

RAILROADS.

	High.	Low.	Noon.
Boston Elevated	128	128	128
N. Y., N. H. & H.	171	171	171

MISCELLANEOUS.

	High.	Low.	Noon.
Am. Pneumatic pf.	20¼	20¼	20¼
Mass Gas	65½	65⅜	65½
Mass Gas pf.	90½	90½	90½
United Fruit	136¾	136	136½
United Shoe Mach.	58	58	58
United Shoe Ma. pf.	30	30	30

UNLISTED SECURITIES.

	High.	Low.	Noon.
Amalgamated	82⅝	82¼	82½
Am. Agri. Chem.	39½	39½	39½
Atl. Gulf & W. I. pf.	22⅛	22⅛	22⅛
Am. Zinc	25	24¾	25
Boston Con	15	15	15
East Butte	13⅝	13⅝	13⅝
East Butte rts	88	85	85
Lake Copper	22⅞	22¾	22⅞
Superior Boston	16	16	16
Swift & Co.	107	107	107
U. S. Coal & Oil	33¾	32¾	32¾
U. S. Smelting	49¾	49¼	49¾
U. S. Smelting pf.	49½	49	49

MINING STOCKS.

	High.	Low.	Noon.
Allouez	39	39	39
Arizona Commercial	44¼	44¼	44¼
Batsplies	3¾	3⅝	3⅝
Butte Coalition	26	25⅝	25⅝
Copper Range	80¼	80¼	80¼
Greene-Cananea	10½	10½	10½
Michigan	11½	11½	11½
Nevada Con.	23¼	23	23⅛
North Butte	60¼	58	58
North Lake	9	9	9
Osceola	135	135	135
Shannon	16¼	16⅛	16⅛
Utah Con.	41	40¾	40¾
Utah Copper	51⅛	51⅛	51⅛

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NORTH BUTTE STOCK DROPS

STATE STREET, May 21.—A 2¼ point break in North Butte this forenoon gave the market for mining shares a chill so far as activity was concerned, yet it did not bring any selling orders in other stocks. The tone was generally firm. The break from 60¼ to 58 in North Butte was largely the result of manipulation and was done by the same crowd who were recently so prominent in the bear campaign on that stock.

U. S. Smelting was active and firm with an advance from 49¼ to 49¾. Butte Coalition yielded fractionally on small offerings to 25⅝, while Amalgamated stiffened to 82¾. U. S. Steel topped yesterday's record by ⅛, going to 60⅛. It touched 60¼ in New York. American Telephone was active and steady at 139⅜ to 139½.

Curb trading was light and prices were irregular. Davis-Daly sagged to 6 while Yukon, which has received renewed attention, was firm up to 5. Helvetia was a firm feature advancing to 6½. Raven became weak and yielded to 35 cents, while Southwestern Development fell to 26 cents on lessened trading.

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To Preserve a Government by the Consent of the Governed, the Boston American Advocates:

First, direct nominations, that the people may select such public servants as they deem worthy;

Second, the recall, that the people may dismiss such public servants as have proved unworthy;

Third, the initiative, that the people may compel action upon such legislation as they deem necessary;

Fourth, the referendum, that the people may accept or reject legislation as they deem desirable;

Fifth, a Corrupt Practices act that will limit election expenses to legitimate purposes and make men, and not money, the deciding force in American politics;

Sixth, public ownership of public utilities, that the values created by the people shall belong to the people, and a referendum upon every public franchise, that no public servant shall barter the people's property for his private gain;

Seventh, the election of Senators by the people, and of Judges for short terms, that no branch of government shall feel itself too far above the people or too long removed from the people.

A Palace Built of Children's Arms and Legs

That Would Seem Horrible. Leopold's New Home Is Just as Bad

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Leopold, King of the Belgians and tyrant of the Congo, is building himself a new home. The feeble palace-building efforts of American money kings seem very weak compared with the extravagant architectural antics of this European monarch.

Take Mr. Schwab's modest little palace on Riverside Drive, New York, or Mr. Clark's architectural atrocity in Fifth avenue, add H. C. Frick's Summer home at Pride's Crossing and Thomas W. Lawson's quiet farm houses at Egypt, and all the Vanderbilt houses, and three or four of the biggest in Newport, and out of this hodgepodge you will not get as big and extravagant a structure as the one into which King Leopold is pouring millions of dollars now.

The building of this palace in a country badly governed, with money shamefully taken from unfortunate, helpless creatures in the Congo, is one of many blots on our day and our race.

Leopold is a worthless man in private life, a bad ruler and a remorseless, bloody tyrant in his taking of taxes from the unfortunate savage people in his Congo slave land.

We have said that the building of this new palace is as horrible as would be the creation of a palace made from the arms and legs of children.

There actually are arms and legs and dead bodies of thousands of helpless children and men and women piled up in the building of that palace.

Leopold got his millions from the Congo rubber trade and other resources of that rich country. He took marauding bands of ignorant savages to collect his rubber and his money. They did it remorselessly.

If a father or a mother failed to pick the amount of rubber required, the plan was to take one of the children in the family and cut an arm or a leg from that child as a warning. They cut the arms and legs from the children first, hoping that this abominable brutality would make it unnecessary to mutilate the full-grown, valuable rubber pickers.

If the mutilation of the children did not suffice as a lesson, then the next year, or the year after, an arm of the father would be cut off.

These statements are not based merely upon the stories, the evidence of reliable men, missionaries and travellers. They are backed up by innumerable photographs of wretched, mutilated victims in the Congo.

In these photographs you may see one child with an arm cut off, another with a leg missing, and mutilated grown people as well.

This is the kind of money that is going into King Leopold's palace. The gentlest of human beings must wish that there really were an actual, physical hell of fire and brimstone to burn such a creature, to punish him as he has punished others.

The abominable part of it is that this man in his governing of Belgium is protected by other governments relatively civilized and decent. The little Belgian kingdom controlled by this dreadful creature must be maintained TO KEEP UP THE BALANCE OF POWER IN EUROPE. No big Power would let any other big Power have it, and so Leopold still sits on his throne and builds his palace of human blood and flesh.

But this will not last. There's a power in human thought and protest. Outside of Belgium, in England a steady fight has been kept up against the King's Congo brutality. His revenues and his atrocities have been cut down to such an extent that he is now beginning to sell priceless art treasures of the Belgian people to spend for his personal pleasures.

And WITHIN HIS KINGDOM, led by intelligent, determined radicals, there is a movement of rebellion—the Social Democratic party—spreading truth and thought that will topple over that throne before very long, make a hospital or a people's institute of the palace now building and end the vile misrule of the old reprobate Leopold.

There's progress in the world, but how slow! How little we realize the primitiveness of this world!

We are actually in the blackness of savagery ourselves. The great African continent is filled with untaught savages, victims of intelligent white brutality. Our white races, CALLED CIVILIZED, are made up of a few self-indulgent, prosperous egotists, a mass of worried, anxious, overworked and usually ignorant beings attached to the soil, deluding themselves with various stories of liberty and democracy.

Real civilization in the future will look back on this period, with its mutilated children in the Congo and its dwarfed children in the AMERICAN mill and mine, with absolute horror and detestation—AND WE DESERVE IT.

LETTERS FROM AMERICAN READERS

SEEDS IN FERTILE GROUND

Editor BOSTON AMERICAN:

I wish to congratulate you on your editorial "Man's Worst Enemy Himself," and as the "cap" fits me perfectly I am determined to wear it.

My school period was simply a case of get through with as little effort as possible, except for one year, when my teacher made me the best, and I rose high in my class.

When I went to my first employment I rose rapidly, but soon left for another position, until now I am twenty-three, leaving a score of positions in my rear.

Your advice to a rolling stone has in my case, believe struck fertile ground, for in future I will call in my little scattered activities and concentrate my endeavors in one direction.

H. S.

Dorchester.

STEEL COSTS TOO MUCH

Editor BOSTON AMERICAN:

Within the next fifteen years we shall manufacture and consume 50,000,000 tons of steel per annum. The average price of all kinds of steel is at least $15 per ton higher than it should be. The year that the Carnegie Steel Company made a profit of $45,000,000 they sold steel rails at less than $18 per ton. They are now $28 per ton or more. Other kinds of steel are higher in proportion than steel rails.

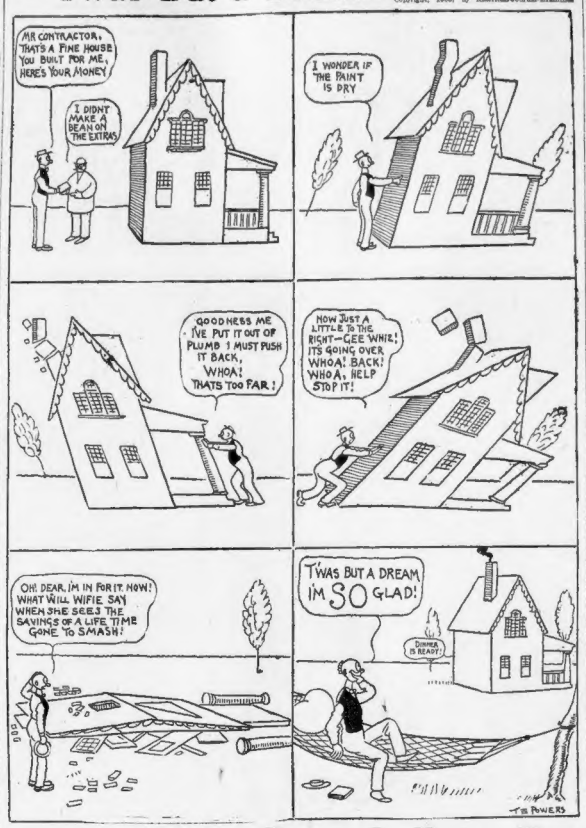
Fifty million tons at $15 per ton is $750,000,000, or for one decade $7,500,000,000. A sum large enough to canalize all of our rivers and their branches which discharge into tide water, and develop all the water powers thereon for the generation of electrical energy, for light, heat and motive power on our farms, in our mines, forests, manufactories and on our railways.

FRANCIS W. GLEN.

'Twas But a Dream

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DR. PARKHURST'S ARTICLE

—ON—

"Expenditures"

—AND ON—

"The Sabbath"



DR. CHAS. H. PARKHURST

Written for the American

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THE appropriations that are being made for the administration of the general government, as well as for that of local government, are something enormous, and every year becoming more so, and it is as a consequence of this that the thought is pressing upon the minds of the general public whether economy—an adjustment of relation between revenues and expenditures—is not a virtue to be practised by the State and by the city just as much as by the individual.

The simple question to be asked is, why is it not as obligatory upon a city to live within its income as it is upon a single person or upon a private institution, such as a school or college?

The advice given to a young man starting out in life is, do not buy what you cannot pay for.

Why is not the principle that is so evidently and eminently practical on a small scale equally so on a broader scale?

Cities, States and nations are piling up their indebtedness. These debts are a mortgage upon the future, and with no very distinct purpose of doing more than pay the interest on the mortgage.

Something has to be said for the claim which is alleged, that in the matter of informal improvement, construction of public works, etc., we are required to consult the interest of those who will come after us.

Wrong to Saddle Debts on Our Children

At the same time, a father, if he has any consideration for his children, will go slow in incurring debts for his children to pay, even if he does consider that such a policy will inure to their ultimate advantage.

Laying out money which is not ours comes dreadfully near to being immoral, and the public conscience seems so dulled as not to have a sense that there is any question of ethics involved in the municipal issuing of bonds to meet a present emergency.

During these last years our constant attention has been drawn to the matter of the debts of our cities.

We should consider that any person acting in his individual capacity is a menace to himself, and to every honest interest involved, who should limit his expenditure only by his ability to borrow.

Now, if that is not a policy which an individual can honestly pursue, is it policy that a city can honestly pursue?

Is a different ethical code admissible when people work concertedly from the one that is obligatory when they act individually?

Whatever exception may be taken to the foregoing, it contains matter upon which men who want to deal wisely by the present and honestly by the future can afford to think.

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The Sabbath Exists in Human Interest.

THE BOSTON AMERICAN is a secular paper, and is, therefore, not suited to the discussion of any question viewed distinctively from a religious standpoint.

However good a thing religion may be, it is beneath its dignity for it to intrude itself into territory that is not intended for it.

That, however, will not need to exclude from a sheet like the BOSTON AMERICAN some reference to the Sabbath in its relations to the non-religious aspects of life.

The fact that the Sabbath is an institution so widely adopted into the industrial and civic life of society and State is sufficient of itself to indicate that there is something in the nature of man that responds to it, or something in the constitution of man that requires it.

It is almost instinctive with us to live beyond our bodily means and thus to be in a physical condition of "overdrawn account."

That which we recover of ourselves by the Sabbath respite serves as an offset to our debit balance, and evens us up for a fresh physical start on Monday morning.

Other things being equal, that method of observing the Sabbathp will be the best which yields the largest recuperative effects, and puts us most completely into condition to resume the normal activities of secular life.

This application of the Sabbath principle would exclude some practices which a certain class of society considers admissible, and would permit and enjoin certain practices which another class regards as prohibited.

In the settlement of all such questions we are to have our conclusions determined by the principle that the Sabbath is not an institution that exists, but as a means for the promotion of human interest.

"The Sabbath is made for man, not man for the Sabbath." There is room inside of a legitimate observance of the Sabbath for the doing of whatever will make us more perfectly human.

How to Be Happy, Though Married

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1—If your wife asks you to match a bit of ribbon—

2—Tell her you haven't got time—

3—And, besides, you are color blind—

4—Then go ahead and do the best you can.

If It Weren't for Father

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